

# The Carmel Pine Cone

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## Architect pitches less costly Sunset plan

■ Brian Congleton argues that BOOR/A approach strayed from the original mission.

By PAUL WOLF

THE SUNSET Center project can be done for considerably less than the \$12 million needed for the "BOOR/A plan," according to one Carmelite.

Carmel architect Brian Congleton shared his "base-case alternative" at a workshop held at the complex last week.

"I gave this (alternative) its name because it satisfies the consensus of what everyone wanted for the renovation, but the project can be done for \$3 million to 5 million," said Congleton, a former

member of the Carmel Planning Commission.

The question now is: Can the council consider new approaches before it gets the environmental review process underway at its Tuesday meeting.

Congleton was joined at the workshop by about 30 people, many of them city officials. The meeting, orchestrated by Carmel Mayor Ken White, was an 11th hour attempt to draw additional public comment on the half dozen proposed approaches to the renovation.

On Tuesday, the Carmel City Council is expected to select a firm to conduct the environmental impact report (EIR), which should cost about \$65,000. The exact price will depend on how many renovation alternatives the firm studies.

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PHOTO/SUSAN BECK

Carmel architect Brian Congleton has introduced an alternative renovation plan for Sunset Center that would cost from \$3 million to \$5 million.

## RIDING TO THE RESCUE

### Donors help salvage Carmel Youth Baseball season

By SCOTT BREARTON

WHAT DO Clint Eastwood, Mayor Ken White and Carmel Unified School District Superintendent Vance Baldwin have in common?

Aside from being prominent public figures in the Carmel area, the trio gained additional recognition this week with the news that each has done his part to rescue the Carmel Youth Baseball season.

While Mission Fields residents were busy mopping up after the January floods, organizers were trying to figure out how to salvage the CYB baseball season. Despite more than \$50,000 in damage to the field, snack bar and equipment, opening day will be held Saturday, April 8, as scheduled, according to Dave Parker, vice president of CYB.

"At one point, the chances of having a normal season looked nearly impossible, considering the fact

that restoration costs were approaching \$65,000 to \$75,000," Parker said. "But due to the outpouring of response from the community, the season is definitely on."

Through his community contacts, White said he found two donors willing to help out.

"I contacted a person in Carmel who very graciously understood the problem and committed a \$10,000 check," said White, noting the individual wished to remain anonymous. "Then I contacted Clint Eastwood and — because of what happened — he was more than willing to match that \$10,000."

According to White, Eastwood also offered to solicit funds from the AT&T Golf Foundation Board of Directors, which White says has committed another \$10,000 to the CYB relief fund.

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## Time for Rio Road residents to rejoice

BY SUSAN BECK

MISSION FIELDS residents are exhilarated about the Monterey County Board of Supervisors unanimous decision Tuesday not to eliminate about 1,000 feet of parking on Rio Road immediately west of Highway 1.

"The supervisors were very responsive to the human element and safety issues of our neighborhood," Phyllis Dufur told The Pine Cone after the board meeting. "We are celebrating."

About 20 Mission Fields residents attended Tuesday's public hearing to voice their objections, said Dufur, who has lived in the neighborhood for two decades. More than 200 neighbors had signed

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## Thomas: 'Citizen of the Year'



PHOTO/DOUG THOMPSON

Minutes after he had accepted the 'Citizen of the Year' honors from the Carmel Residents Association, Carmel dentist Roy Thomas (right) engages in a conversation with Assemblyman Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz. Thomas was honored in a ceremony Sunday afternoon. See page 9 for story.

## Sen. Strasser Kauffman?

■ Ex-supervisor is currently weighing her options — run for senate, assembly or stay in political retirement.

By PAUL WOLF

ALTHOUGH SAVING any formal announcements, Karin Strasser Kauffman said she has her eye on two regional seats, which appear to be opening up for exciting races in 1996.

The former Fifth District Monterey County supervisor, who is a Democrat, said she hasn't decided whether to seek the 27th Assembly District or the 15th State Senate — or stay in political retirement.

Strasser Kauffman is not the only Democrat to start studying the regional field. Bill Monning — who was defeated by incumbent Bruce McPherson in November — has not ruled out another

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Is a bid for a senate or assembly seat in the future for Karin Strasser Kauffman, who here is shown in 1993 announcing that she won't seek re-election to the board of supervisors?

# Teen gives candid recount of journey with Jordan

**T**HE FOLLOWING telephone interview began about 4 p.m. last Sunday. The Pine Cone's call was placed to gain some closure, newswise, on Carmel High School freshman Bethany Garner's disappearance and return. The obviously young respondent said her parents — Steven and Barbara Garner — were not at home. She then identified herself as 15-year-old Bethany.

Bethany and her boyfriend — Don Robey Jordan, Jr., 24, son of Seaside's mayor — left her Seaside residence the morning of Feb. 12. Lawmen said he probably had stolen his father's shotgun and was considered "armed and dangerous." A statewide search ended in Riverside County last Tuesday, when an FBI-led Fugitive Task Force found the teen-ager in a rural trailer park. Jordan was not there at the time, but turned himself in to Seaside police last Wednesday.

On Feb. 11, Jordan allegedly rammed his truck again and again into the moving auto which carried Garner and other young people. District Attorney Dean Flippo said that because of the boyfriend's record — kidnap, assault, county jail time — he would be tried as a "third strike" felon on five counts of assault with a deadly weapon (the truck) and other charges. The accused thus faces the possibility of life behind bars. He is being held at Monterey County Jail.

With a very young person in a complex situation, one must ponder the issue of media usury. This was done. We believe Bethany Garner's future will be served by this airing of her present reality — in her own words.

**Pine Cone:** Well, Bethany, this is one of the journalists who wrote about you while you were away. Is there anything you'd like to say?



*'Yes, I'd still marry him. I love him and he loves me — 100 percent. All my friends know he's a good guy.'*

— Bethany Garner

**G**arner: I am supporting Don 100 percent. I will be at all his court stuff, and I am not scared of him. I know what happened in the past; he went through therapy. We've been together for nine months, and I know him. I know him —

**Pine Cone:** Do you know Don's dad (Don Jordan, Sr., current mayor of Seaside)?

**G**arner: Don's dad is great. We told Don's dad that I was 17 and a senior.

**Pine Cone:** How did Don treat you while you two were gone?

**G**arner: He always treated me good.

**Pine Cone:** What about news reports that he beat you up on the Saturday before you two left?

**G**arner: We were going through hard times. I lied to him. Usually, Saturdays we spend together. I told him I was sick. He caught me riding around with the other kids.

He's not a violent person. He pushed me. He blew up, and pushed me, and my head hit the car.

**Pine Cone:** Are you going back to Carmel High?

Interview by John Detro

**G**arner: I might get kicked out. I'll probably get on home study. I went and got a test, and I might be pregnant with his (Don's) baby. I know I'm too young, but I will keep the kid. I don't believe in abortion or adoption.

(Pat Beebe, CHS vice-principal, said on Monday afternoon: "Bethany will be permitted to complete the semester here. Then she will return to the school where she lives. Due to the unexcused absences, she already has Saturday school and after-school detention, and may be suspended. What she does now will determine, under the school's code of conduct, if there is a suspension.")

**Pine Cone:** Do you feel ready for a child?

**G**arner: We always planned to get married and have kids. We tried to get married in Las Vegas (while the search was going on), but I didn't have my birth certificate. If I had my birth certificate then, we'd be married now.

**Pine Cone:** If Don goes to prison, would you still marry him?

**G**arner: Yes, I'd still marry him. I love him and he loves me — 100 percent. All my friends know he's a good guy.

**Pine Cone:** What did you think when Don turned himself in?

**G**arner: I totally support him. I knew he was going to turn himself in. He called me on the day after I got home. He called and told me he would. My parents knew that he called.

I hope to God that Don won't go to prison. I'm not pushing any charges. He only rammed the car twice, and I don't think he meant to the first time. The kids in the car weren't wearing seatbelts — they were

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## Briefly Speaking

### Today: Blood drive set for Carmel

A BLOOD drive sponsored by the American Red Cross Carmel chapter and Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula will be held from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Thursday at the American Legion Hall between Dolores and Eighth.

Donors should be at least 17 years old and in good health. A complimentary lunch will be provided for each blood donor.

All blood donated locally stays in the community, according to Mary Margaret DeBartolo, Carmel Red Cross blood coordinator.

More information: 625-4814.

### Saturday: MPC slates violence talk

A CONFERENCE focusing on women and domestic violence will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Saturday at the Monterey Peninsula College Music Auditorium located at 980 Fremont St. in Monterey.

Topics to be covered include: social-political aspects of abuse; effects of violence on children, and how communities can respond.

Admission fees range from \$10 to \$40, based on ability to pay.

For registration: 649-0834.

### Sunday: SPCA hosts orientation

THE SPCA of Monterey County's Wildlife Rescue and Rehabilitation Center will hold an orientation and training session for new volunteers from 12:30 to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

The session will teach volunteers about wildlife issues and how to help rehabilitate the thousands of orphaned and injured wildlife that are brought to the Wildlife Center annually.

Participation is limited. Registration: 373-2631.

### Monday: Gay issues focus of series

EDUCATIONAL CLASSES entitled "Homosexuality and the Church" will be held from 7:30 to 9 p.m. on Monday at the All Saints' Episcopal Church library on Dolores and Ninth in Carmel.

The classes will be held each Monday through April 24. The cost is \$10 for each session or \$60 for the series. (Partial scholarships are available).

Presbyterian pastor E. Richard Brown, who wrote a thesis on gay and lesbian issues facing the church, is coordinating the classes. Parents and Friends of Lesbians and Gays, the John XXIII AIDS Ministry, and the Monterey County AIDS Project will participate in the series.

Registration information: 373-5811 or 899-2263.

### Tuesday: Financial planning lecture

DAVID CHILTON, author of *The Wealthy Barber*, will conduct a free seminar from 5:30 to 7 p.m. on Tuesday at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Monterey.

Chilton, a consultant who specializes in teaching financial planning techniques, is expected to discuss retirement planning and tax issues.

Reservations: (800) 935-5795, ext. 206.

### March 10: Iran expert to talk in PB

THE WORLD Affairs Council of the Monterey Bay Area will present a lecture by Dr. Ahmed Choreishi, an expert on Iranian affairs, at 12:45 p.m. on Friday, March 10 in the Pebble Beach Room at The Lodge at Pebble Beach.

Dr. Choreishi, a professor of political science at the National University of Iran, was born in Iran and educated in the U.S.

He is currently a visiting professor at both the University of San Francisco and the Naval Post-Graduate School.

Tickets are \$17 for members and \$20 for non-members. Reservations may be mailed along with a check to the WAC, Box 83, Monterey 93942, or by calling 625-0208.

Further information: 646-4676.

# Proposal to build bike path on beachfront gains momentum

■ Some residents say impacts will be difficult to mitigate.

By SCOTT BREARTON

DESPITE SOME community opposition, a proposal to build a bicycle and pedestrian pathway on San Antonio Avenue is gaining momentum, according to Carmel Public Works Director Jim Cullem.

The proposed "boardwalk" — located on the west side of San Antonio between Second and Fourth avenues — would be part of an overall bicycle route that would start at the Pebble Beach gate in Carmel, border Del Mar Avenue, parallel the beach on Scenic Road and end near the city limits at Carmel Point.

Cullem said the city has held two neighborhood workshops in the last two weeks to gather input on the conceptual design proposal. The preliminary design work was funded by a \$5,000 grant from the Monterey Regional Park District.

"The concept is now being discussed with residents on San Antonio and the public at large," Cullem said. "In general, I think people like the idea of trying to find a safe passageway for bicycles and pedestrians."

"But because the street is so narrow and requires a boardwalk to accommodate them," he noted, "some of the residents on the west side of San Antonio have expressed concerns about environmental impacts upon their properties."

Perhaps the most vocal critic of the proposal is Carmel resident Ray Burch, who leases a house on the west side of San Antonio.

"I happen to be a resident of the property that will be impacted most by the pathway," Burch told The Pine Cone Tuesday. "Basically, they're going to create a tourist balcony in my front yard."

According to Burch, San Antonio residents have a number of concerns surrounding the bicycle and pedestrian pathway, including the mitigation of noise impacts, property access, the removal of foliage and the loss of privacy and property values. "I think most of the residents on this side of the street share these concerns," Burch stated.

"I'm not opposed to the bike path — in concept — at all," he added. "But I just don't think (city officials) totally realize how much this is going to cost them."

According to Cullem, the wooden pathway would be about eight feet wide and would have handrails on both sides. "Even though it's in the public right-of-way," he said, "it sort of implies that people might be walking back and forth in front of their property."

Cullem said support for the project has come from Carmelite and bicycle enthusiast Erik Dyar, among others, who has represented the City of Carmel on the Transportation Agency for Monterey County's (TAMC)



PHOTO/SCOTT BREARTON

San Antonio Avenue resident Ray Burch is critical of a city plan to build a bicycle and pedestrian pathway in front of the home he has leased for more than two years.

Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee for the last two years.

#### Safety in mind

Dyar, also a member of the Carmel Recreation Commission, said the proposed pathway would make the area near the Carmel Gate much safer for bicyclists and pedestrians.

"A lot of people go biking in Pebble Beach," he related. "It's a real problem at that point. There are a lot of cars that go through there on the weekends and there's not a lot of space for bikes to get through."

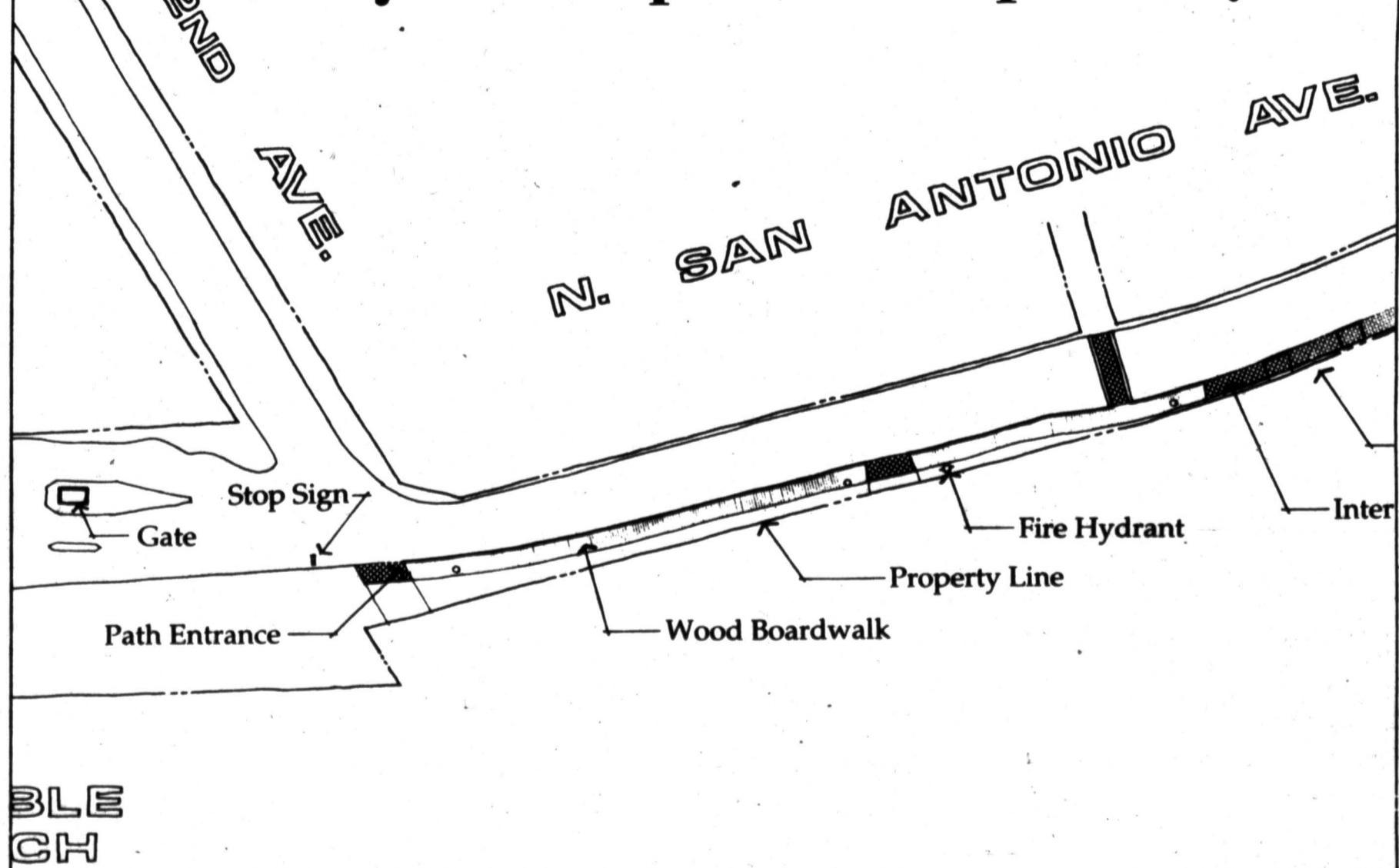
"That's why the boardwalk was proposed," he added. "Hopefully, it'll help make it safer in that area."

Cullem said the city already has obtained \$13,000 in grant money for the installation of bicycle racks, several of which would be installed along the new bike route, if it is approved.

Assuming the concerns of San Antonio residents can

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## Bicycle and pedestrian pathway



This site plan for a proposed bicycle and pedestrian pathway on San Antonio Avenue was funded by a \$5,000 grant from the Monterey Regional Park District, according to Carmel Public Works Director Jim Cullem.



## Sheriff's Log

**NEIGHBORS CARE** about neighbors. Here's a rundown on activity logged by Monterey County Sheriff's Department from Monday, Feb. 20, through Monday, Feb. 27.

### MONDAY, FEB. 20

- **Carmel:** A Monterey man reported losing his driver's license and bank card somewhere in a shopping center.

- **Pebble Beach:** A man reported that his wife was unconscious and without pulse and breath. "She had a plastic bag over her head and had attempted to commit suicide. She was transported to Com-

munity Hospital — where she is in stable condition."

- **Big Sur:** A Los Angeles man said someone took a backpack out of his open pickup while that vehicle was in the Pfeiffer Beach parking area. "The pack contained various items of clothing and camping gear."

### TUESDAY, FEB. 21

- **Carmel:** A woman was found lying down in her driveway. After talking with witnesses, an officer gathered that she had fallen. "She was transported to Community Hospital."

## Carmel woman offers \$100 reward for return of money lost on Hwy. 1

By SCOTT BREARTON

A CARMEL woman is offering a \$100 reward this week — or \$100 worth of pizza — for the speedy return of an \$800 personal check and \$200 in cash that flew out her open driver's-side window last week at the mouth of Carmel Valley.

Anna Introcaso, 37, owner of Pacific Coast Catering, was on her way to the bank to deposit proceeds from her business at about 3:45 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 23. As she turned onto Carmel Valley Road from Highway 1, paper currency and a check that was sitting in her lap

floated out the window and onto the highway.

"I was kind of lucky because it was only \$1,000," Introcaso said. "It was like being in the Harrah's tube of money. Ten \$20 bills just went whirling in the wind."

According to a Monterey County Sheriff's Department report, Introcaso was unable to pull over and retrieve her money because of traffic stacked up behind her.

Meanwhile, a male passenger in a pickup truck that was waiting for the

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- **Carmel Highlands:** A visitor from Alameda reported losing a backpack on Feb. 19 along Highway 1 — "five miles south of Carmel Highlands."

- **Carmel Valley:** Monterey Police Department requested contact be made with a CV man about his daughter being in custody for shoplifting.

### WEDNESDAY, FEB. 22

- **Carmel:** A bartender at a popular spot called because of a dog tied at the front door and barking. The owner, a man from Carmel, left with the animal.

- **Carmel:** A local woman reported that a former male friend slapped her across the face after an argument in a bar. "She later discovered that her car tires were flattened. When she returned home, she received a threatening phone call from the suspect. Investigation continues."

- **Pebble Beach:** Security officers reported two persons sleeping at Pescadero Point. A 20-year-old woman and a female juvenile were found intoxicated. "They were transported to the woman's home in Pacific Grove."

- **Pebble Beach:** A woman reported seeing a flashlight beam in her guest house. The residence was searched — no suspects found. "All doors and windows were secure, and the alarm had not been activated."

### THURSDAY, FEB. 23

- **Carmel:** A San Juan Bautista man was arrested for public intoxication behind a shopping center. His wife was issued a citation "for an active arrest warrant."

- **Carmel:** A woman reported her credit cards and credit card holder missing. She said charges were being made on the cards.

- **Carmel Highlands:** A spokesperson for an inn reported the theft of a sign taken from there. "Later recovered by Carmel Police Department as found property."

- **Carmel Highlands:** A man reported his roadside mailbox stolen. He also noted that a neighbor's box was missing. "No suspect or witness leads."

- **Carmel Valley:** A fire department captain reported that the chief gave one of their "cell phones" to a specific individual last January "to keep for a month. The individual has not brought it back."

- **Carmel Valley:** A male juvenile reported that "a male adult pushed him down for throwing rocks across CV Road in the village."

- **Carmel Valley:** A local man reported trading a vehicle for some property. "He now thinks the property may be stolen."

- **Pebble Beach:** A woman reported being "body slammed at her ex-boyfriend's residence."

## Contra Costa County woman killed, friend injured in Big Sur fall

A VISITOR from Contra Costa County was killed and her male companion injured when they fell down a cliff at Big Sur River Gorge in Pfeiffer State Park, the Monterey County Coroner's Office reported this week.

Coroner's investigator John DiCarlo identified the fatally injured woman as Linda Marie Santana, 21, of Pittsburg, Calif. Santana's friend, Adrian Patrick Poe, 26, of Antioch, Calif., was treated at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula for a broken leg and other injuries.

At 6:45 a.m. Monday, park rangers informed deputies that the pair had fallen down a cliff. A park ranger found them after hearing from a jogger that someone was yelling for help.

The woman "was found deceased" at the bottom of the cliff, DiCarlo said, and Poe lay nearby. "She was found to have died from multiple traumatic injuries. (They) were hiking when somehow they both fell 50 to 75 feet and then (she) fell down a straight drop-off cliff another 75 feet to the rocks and a small stream at the bottom..."

They were brought up by the sheriff's department rescue team and Big Sur volunteers. An autopsy was performed at Monterey Peninsula Mortuary in Seaside.

"The fall apparently occurred (Sunday) afternoon," DiCarlo said, "but there was no one in the area to report the incident until (Monday) morning."

### FRIDAY, JAN. 24

- **Carmel:** A caregiver reported that an 86-year-old Alzheimer's patient walked away from the facility. The lady was found by a staff member near the canyon, unharmed. "Search and rescue canceled before they were deployed."

- **Carmel:** An employee of an inn reported that an unknown guest turned in a set of keys found lying in the roadway near the place's entrance.

- **Carmel:** A caller reported that a cellular phone was removed from his se-

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# City council to hear Probasco appeal on EIR Tuesday

## Park district will help in Carmel open space efforts

By PAUL WOLF

THE MONTEREY Peninsula Regional Park District has promised to help the city look for ways to preserve Pescadero Canyon and the Probasco property as permanent open space.

"We don't have any specific direction, but we are going to see what we can do," said Zad Leavy, who represents Carmel and the greater area on the park district's five-member governing board.

As an immediate gesture, the board will hold its March meeting in Carmel — at 7 p.m. Monday at Carmel City Hall, located on Monte Verde south of Ocean Avenue.

Leavy said the board may decide to make a pledge toward one or more potential property purchases — a kind of "challenge grant" that other agencies would be asked to match.

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## Mallery vows to challenge planning commission's Pescadero decision

By PAUL WOLF

THE CITY of Carmel has never required an EIR from owners of a single-family lot, and neither William Probasco nor Tim Mallery wants to be the historic first.

In each case, the Carmel Planning Commission has called for an environmental impact report, and each property owner is hoping for a reprieve from the Carmel City Council.

Here is a closer look:

■ In one case, the backdrop is Mission Trail Park. The city council, meeting at 3:30 p.m. at Carmel City Hall on Tuesday, will consider Probasco's appeal of a December planning commission decision to require an EIR for his proposed multi-level home.

Commissioners called for the EIR to evaluate the impacts of the development, which, although on private property, could affect the natural area near the entrance to the park on 11th Avenue.

"We are not going to talk about the pros and cons of this particular (home)," explained Carmel Mayor Ken White. "The question is: Did the planning commission make the right decision in requiring an EIR?"

The public is invited to speak at the hearing.

A determined network of residents, some of whom live near the proposed project, hopes either to stop the development or strictly limit its size.

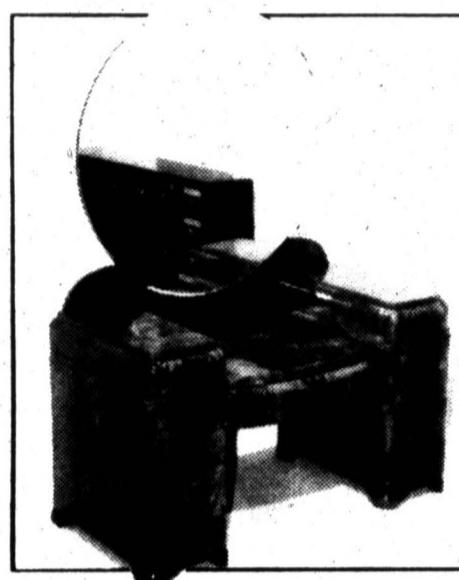
The EIR would examine the likely effects on wildlife, vegetation and the scenic resource of the park.

The planning commission disagreed with a planning staff determination that the new house would present a "less than significant" impact.

■ In the other case, the backdrop is Pescadero Canyon, which is located along the Pebble Beach border off 2nd Avenue.

Mallery, who told The Pine Cone he plans to appeal a Feb. 22 commission decision concerning the EIR for his Pescadero Canyon development plan, said he wouldn't make a statement until he has filed with the Carmel Planning Department.

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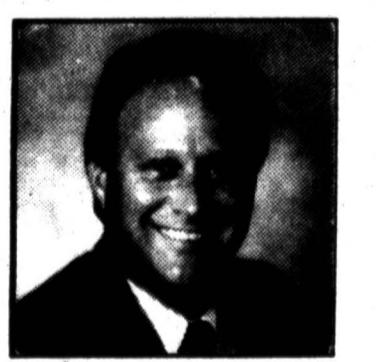
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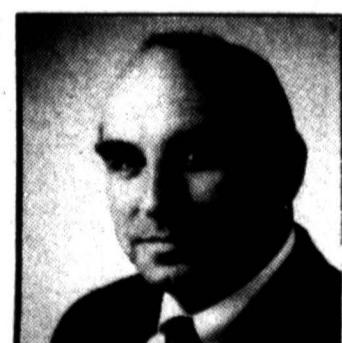
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# School for 'brilliant children' put on hold

■ Psychiatrist who hoped to open Summit Academy forced to relocate.

By SCOTT BREARTON

CITING FINANCIAL obstacles, a Carmel psychiatrist who planned to start a school for intellectually-gifted children has put his idea on hold.

Interestingly, John Morris—who had a practice in Carmel—now resides in Crescent City, Calif., and is working as a staff psychiatrist at Pelican Bay State Prison.

"I had to leave town," Morris told The Pine Cone last week when contacted at his home in Northern California. "My practice didn't develop adequately for me to make a living, so I had to move out and take a paid position."

"I still have the school on paper," he added, "but I haven't had the funding to start it."

In June 1994, Morris had proposed to start an exclusive school for prodigies—children with IQs of at least 140 (the average adult IQ is 100). The school, which he named the "Summit Academy," would have eventually had an enrollment of about 30 Monterey County students in grades one through 10.

"If you take a dollar and invest it in the education of a retarded child, you get a dollar back," Morris was quoted as saying. "If you invest a dollar into a prodigy, you get a million back."

At the time, Morris estimated tuition

at approximately \$15,000 per year, per student. He estimated it would cost about \$7.5 million per year to run the school.

Morris, who already had established a school philosophy and curriculum outline, had solicited local investors for the school.

The psychiatrist would not disclose how much money he had received to start the school or who the investors were, but he said there were five donors from the Monterey Peninsula area.

"I've had some contributions," Morris confided, "but I will return that money to the donors (with interest) if things don't develop within a year."

"In the interim, I'll put the money into a money market fund until I can get something organized from here."

When asked why he took a position so far from Carmel, Morris responded, "There wasn't anything available closer."

Morris said he will wait and "see what develops in the next year" before abandoning his idea altogether.

"Until I can coordinate a fund raiser down in Monterey, I will have to put the school on hold—as it were..."

"I'm disappointed, because I think it's a marvelous idea, but right now I can't be there to engineer the idea, so I'll defer it until then."

In a "Summit Academy Newsletter" dated Feb. 8, Morris said he "would appreciate hearing from any supporters

CVHS illness linked to coffee tainted with illegal drugs

A MYSTERIOUS illness that afflicted four staff members at Carmel Valley High School last month has been linked to tainted coffee, according to a Monterey County Sheriff's Department investigation.

"I do know that the lab results came back positive for methamphetamine," said Sgt. Mike Brassfield, spokesman for the sheriff's department.

Carmel Unified School District Superintendent Vance Baldwin said an in-house investigation was turned over to the sheriff's department shortly after three teachers and a secretary at CVHS became ill on Feb. 6.

If a student or group of students is found responsible for the incident, Baldwin promised "there would be some disciplinary action."

"We're continuing to look at it," Baldwin said. "The investigation continues."

Similarly, Brassfield said he could not elaborate on the specifics of the investigation.

at any time."

Morris can be reached at (707) 465-2073.

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Community forum slated March 7  
CUSD Board to gather public input on superintendent search

THE CARMEL Unified School District Board of Education has scheduled a Tuesday, March 7 public forum to gather input on qualities sought in a new district superintendent.

The forum will be held at 7 p.m. in the Carmel Middle School Library.

The CUSD Board has employed Management Analysis and Planning Associates, a Berkeley-based consulting firm, to assist in hiring a new superintendent. At the forum, Dr. Jake Abbott—a consultant with the firm—will field questions and explain the search process, including the proposed timeline.

Interested parties also may schedule an appointment to meet Abbott:

■ From 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesday, March 7, in the Captain Cooper Elementary School office, Big Sur.

■ From 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 7, at the Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, located between Carmel Middle School and Rancho Cañada Golf Club on Carmel Valley Road.

■ From 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Wednesday, March 8, at the Mid-Valley Fire Department, located at 8455 Carmel Valley Rd., across from the Carmel Child Development Center (CCDC).

Those interested in scheduling an appointment time should call Kim Spindler Wright at the district office, 624-1546.

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Marc Reisner

## Authority on state's water politics here March 17

*Marc Reisner will address League*

MARC REISNER, author of *Cadillac Desert* and a frequent lecturer on water politics in California, will deliver the Monterey Peninsula League of Women Voters' 75th anniversary commemorative lecture.

Reisner's talk, titled "Reflections after a wet season: Why California can still run dry," will be given during a noon luncheon on Friday, March 17 at Rancho Cañada Golf Club, 4860 Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel Valley.

*Cadillac Desert*, initially published in 1986, was Reisner's first book and is being made into a four-hour documentary for public television that will be aired in the fall. Of the book, Robert Boyle, former senior editor of Sports Illustrated, wrote: "It is the best damn book about dams and dam builders ever written."

Advance reservations should be made by March 10, according to event organizers. Checks for \$20/person can be sent to: League of Women Voters, Reisner Luncheon, P.O. Box 1995, Monterey, Calif. 93942-1995.

Deadline nears to file SBA disaster loan applications

THE DEADLINE for filing home and business disaster loan applications with the U.S. Small Business Administration is Monday, March 13.

A workshop to aid disaster victims in completing their applications will be open from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. starting Monday through Saturday at the Tor Foundation Building, Room 14-B, at the Sunset Cultural Center on San Carlos and Ninth in Carmel.

Victims of the January floods do not have to wait for insurance settlements or estimates of damage to complete their applications or determine their eligibility for aid. More information: 977-9225.

## NEW DAM, NO FLOOD

■ Water district official reports disaster could have been averted.

By PAUL WOLF

THE JAN. 10 flooding of Mission Fields would not have occurred had there been a New Los Padres dam, according to a key official with the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District (MPWMD).

"The dam would have stored almost all of the water that went above the existing reservoir," Darby Fuerst, MPWMD senior hydrologist, told The Pine Cone. "It would have reduced the peak flow that spilled over the levee (and caused the flooding)."

To be more precise, Fuerst said the peak flow would have been reduced from about 10,000 cubic feet per second, as measured at the Carmel River Bridge, to about half that volume.

"That is still a lot of flow," he said. "That is similar to what was observed in (early) 1993, when there wasn't any flooding."

Citizens within the MPWMD's jurisdiction are scheduled to vote on the project in an authorizing election in November. If approved, it would be several years away from coming on-line.

### Public interest

In response to "several inquiries" from the public about the flood-control effects of the proposed new dam on the Carmel River, Fuerst undertook a study and reported his findings.

Despite some good news about the dam, Fuerst noted the project is not designed with flood control foremost in mind;

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## City Agenda

The Regular Meeting  
March 7, 1995

3:00 p.m. Closed Session  
3:30 p.m. Open Session  
(Council Chambers)

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No agenda item will be considered after 9:00 p.m. unless approved by a majority vote of the City Council. Any agenda items not considered at the Regular Meeting will be continued to a future date as determined by the City Council.

### I. Call to Order and Roll Call (3:00 p.m.)

### II. Closed Session (3:00 p.m.)

As permitted by Government Code Section 54956 et seq. of the State of California, the City Council may adjourn to Closed Session to consider specific matters dealing with personnel and/or pending possible litigation and/or conferring with the City Council's Meyers-Milias-Brown Act representative. The following items will be considered by the City Council: None

### Open Session

### III. Call to Order and Roll Call (3:30 p.m.)

### IV. Pledge of Allegiance

The Pledge of Allegiance will be led by the Monterey Bay Girl Scouts

### V. Extraordinary Business

A. Acceptance by the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea of a gift from Nancy Pratt

### VI. Announcements from Closed Session and from City Council Members

A. Announcements from Closed Session

B. Announcements from City Council representatives on outside agencies

### VII. Appearances

### VIII. Consent Calendar

A. Approve the City Council minutes for the meetings of 7 and 16 February 1995, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council

B. Ratify the bills paid for the month of February 1995, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council

C. Adopt Resolution No. 95-22 authorizing the design and the call for bids for the repaving of Seventh Avenue

D. Adopt Resolution No. 95-25 recognizing Reserve Officer Hampton Stewart on his retirement after thirty-three years of service to the City

E. Adopt Resolution No. 95-26 recognizing the Lester Rowntree Native Plant Garden as a Support Group of the City and accepting its appointment of Carey Olson as its liaison member to serve on the Mission Trail Park Advisory Committee

F. Adopt Resolution No. 95-27 awarding the contract for computer hardware to CompUSA in the amount of \$12,800 and authorizing the expenditure of budgeted funds to cover associated operational costs

G. Adopt Resolution No. 95-23, "Resolution of Commendation," recognizing Reserve Police Officer Timothy Meroney for his selection as Officer of the Year

H. Adopt Resolution No. 95-30 awarding the bid under emergency contract procedures to the lowest responsive bidder in an amount not to exceed \$90,000 for repairs to the embankment on Scenic Road north of 12th Avenue

I. Adopt Resolution No. 95-29 approving Carmel Market Day and authorizing the temporary suspension of certain parking enforcement activities

J. Receive the Department of Community Planning and Building's 1994 Annual Report and approve the Planning Commission's Work Program for 1995

K. Adopt Resolution No. 95-28 authorizing a four-way stop at the intersection of Ocean Avenue and Dolores Street

L. Adopt Resolution No. 95-24 approving the allocation of Local Transportation Act Funds (LTD) and a portion of Section 2105 Gas Tax Revenues for transportation purposes

### IX. Public Hearings

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A. Consideration of an appeal of the decision of the Planning Commission ordering an Environmental Impact Report for the building being considered for construction on the south side of 11th Avenue between Torres and Mission Streets (Block 128, Lot D). The appellant is John Mandurrago on behalf of William and Joan Probasco, property owners.

B. Consideration of an appeal of the decision of the Planning Commission denying a design study for substantial alterations to an existing single family residence located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between 4th and 5th Avenues (Block 53, Lot 8). The appellant is George Brehmer on behalf of Victor LoBue.

C. Consideration of an appeal of the decision of the Planning Commission denying the construction of a fence exceeding six feet in height on property located on the west side of Monte Verde Street between Santa Lucia and 13th Avenues (Block 146, Lot 17). The appellant is Don Kremer. **(THE APPELLANT HAS REQUESTED THAT THE PUBLIC HEARING BE CONTINUED TO APRIL)**

### X. Ordinances: None

### XI. Orders of Council: None

### XII. Resolutions

A. Consideration of Resolution No. 95-16 awarding the contract for consultant services for preparation of the Sunset Center Project EIR

B. Consideration of Resolution No. 95-31 authorizing the Mayor to send a letter on behalf of the City Council to the Board of Directors of the Carmel Regional Fire Ambulance Authority supporting the concept of submitting a bid to provide ambulance service to the entire Monterey County.

The Regular Meeting March 7, 1995

### XIII. Appearances

### XIV. Adjournment

The next meetings of the City Council will be:

Joint Meeting with Carmel Unified School District  
March 14, 1995 6:00 p.m.  
(Council Chambers)

Study Session  
March 16, 1995  
Budget  
(Council Chambers)

The Regular Meeting  
April 4, 1995  
3:00 p.m. (Closed Session)  
3:30 p.m. (Open Session)

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This is a preliminary agenda and subject to change. Final agenda will be posted March 3, 1995 at the following locations: Carmel Post Office, City Hall and Harrison Memorial Library.

# Monning keeps options open for second assembly attempt

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assembly bid next year.

Monning apparently would not face McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, because the assemblyman has made it a virtual certainty he will seek the senate spot. Next year, Henry Mello, D-Watsonville, will have to step down because of term limits.

"I am exploring all options," Monning said about another assembly bid. "I haven't ruled anything out."

The 43-year-old Salinas attorney said his campaign last year accomplished a lot despite his loss against McPherson, who outspent the Democrat by a margin of more than 2-to-1.

Monning, who did not accept political action committee (PAC) money, said he would focus on "the impact of money" on the electoral process. Despite his loss, he said, "I feel confident that we built a solid base."

### Evaluating support

Strasser Kauffman said she is currently making an effort to gauge her support for seeking a regional office, whichever it would be.

"There is certainly more than enough time to look at this (decision) in a very deliberate way," she told The Pine Cone Monday.

She added: "I had been urged to consider a run for the senate, but, more recently, a run for the assembly."

Asked whether her unnamed supporters were office holders, activists or ordinary citizens, she said, "all of the above — and from both parties."

The 52-year-old Carmel Valley resident said she has entertained the notion of running for senate "since the day I left" as supervisor.

As a candidate, she would seek to raise the profile of environmental issues, "which haven't been a priority in California for several elections."

Strasser Kauffman said she would



Democrat Bill Monning has not ruled out a second bid for the 27th Assembly District seat.

not select her race based upon who may oppose her, but "based upon the issues and based upon my support."

She said her concerns surround whether she could develop enough support in Santa Cruz County, where she is an unknown.

The 27th Assembly District embraces the western portions of Monterey and Santa Cruz Counties.

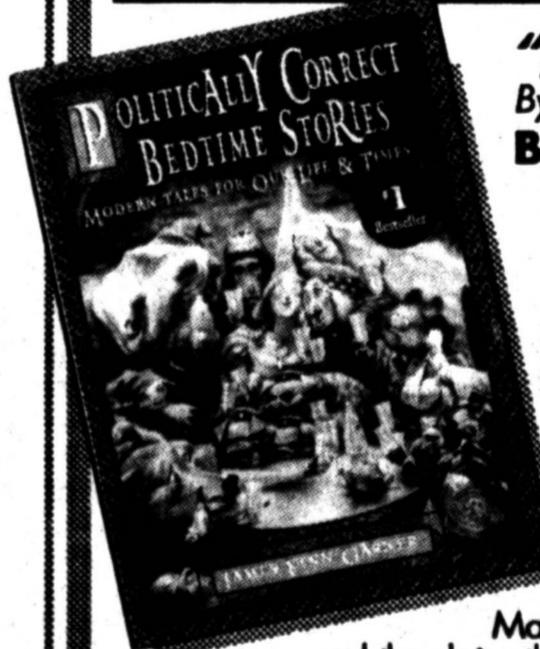
The senatorial district is a larger domain, including everything in the assembly district, plus the remainder of those counties, as well as all of San Benito County and a portion of Santa Clara County.

Meanwhile, McPherson, 50, said he has already gotten the wheels of his election organization in motion.

At this juncture, McPherson anticipates facing former Assemblyman Rusty Areias, D-San Jose, in the battle for the senate seat.

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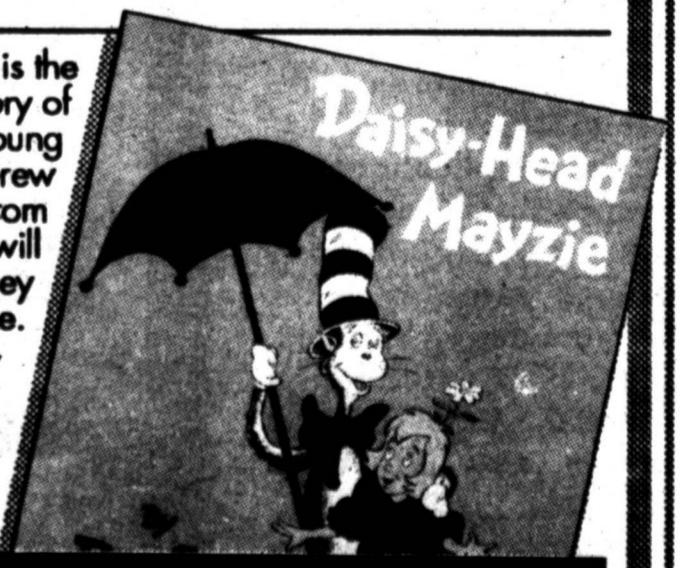
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# Thomas selected as CRA's '94 'Citizen of the Year'

By PAUL WOLF

TO CARMEL resident Roy Thomas, community service is pure "habit," hardly anything resembling heroism.

"My grandfather was the kind of guy who helped people on the side of the road, and so I changed a lot of tires when I was young," he recalls.

Selected Sunday as the 1994 Citizen of the Year by the Carmel Residents Association, Thomas is not just modest; he is matter-of-fact.

Don't expect lofty statements concerning the individual's place in society. His involvement in a myriad of groups — from the Carmel Volunteer Fire Department to the Carmel Steelhead Association — has always been something to do, a way of ensuring "a diverse form of busyness."

He adds: "I do not have a bleeding heart that has made me run around the community doing things...I just enjoy what I do."

Still, much is said about a man by what he decides to do with his spare time. Thomas, 49, a dentist practicing at the mouth of the valley, works full-time, is married and has four children in Carmel schools.

He was selected not for any single achievement during the calendar year, but for a longstanding dedication to

## Service is 'habit' to Carmel dentist, family man

community service, according to Jim Holliday of the CRA's selection committee.

His key areas of service have included:

■ Driving hot meals to housebound seniors signed up with Meals on Wheels.

■ Thirteen years of membership with the Carmel Mission Kiwanis Club.

■ A decade's service on the Carmel Forest & Beach Commission. He has had two terms as chairman, and currently he serves as the liaison between the commission and the private Friends of Carmel Forest.

■ Nine years of service as a member of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District's Carmel River Restoration Advisory Committee.

■ Involvement in the Carmel River Steelhead Association.

■ Fourteen years of service as a Carmel-by-the-Sea volunteer fireman.

As he has done each year, Holliday introduced this season's "awardee" via a dramatic, wide-ranging and suspense-building speech.

Past winners have included Jim Wright, Joyce Stevens, Enid Sales, Jack Billwiller, Skip Lloyd, Noel Mapstead and Clayton Anderson.

Many were in the audience at the Scout House, where there was food and refreshments donated by more than a

dozen local establishments.

Appearances were made by Assemblyman Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, and Monterey County Supervisor Sam Karas.

Thomas, a Carmel resident since 1975, said a simple desire to get involved has spurred him on over the years, as in the case of his work for the volunteer fire service. "In the first year that I was here in Carmel, there were some storms and the lines were down — and that is how it got started," he explains.

Thomas says it was pleasant but unexpected for him to be selected Citizen of the Year. "It is nice to be honored and for people to think you have done some-

thing positive for the community. My profession has been good to me, and it is always good to give something back to your community."

## 'Daffodil Days' underway

THE 10TH annual "Daffodil Days" fund raiser for the American Cancer Society has begun.

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# Burglars again target church

■ Shoplifting, petty theft make mark on Carmel police beat.

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

CARMEL PRESBYTERIAN Church was burglarized again recently, for the second time in the last four weeks.

Carmel Police Detective Sgt. Pete Poitras said someone entered an unlocked side door at the church — located at Ocean Avenue and Junipero — sometime between Thursday, Feb. 16 and Sunday, Feb. 19. Items stolen included a VCR, color television, compact disc player and video camera valued at approximately \$2,000.

"We do not have further description of the items taken at this point," said Poitras, noting the incident wasn't reported to police until Friday, Feb. 24.

Due to the method of entry and items taken, Poitras said it is unlikely that this burglary is related to the series of eight commercial burglaries that occurred in the commercial district in January.

Elsewhere, Carmel police report:

■ A model train set valued at nearly \$350 was stolen from Thinker Toys — located at San Carlos and Seventh — at about 5 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 24.

According to Poitras, a Hispanic male, approximately 30 years old, was seen leaving the store with the box containing the merchandise, but a store employee was unable to prevent him from getting into his car and driving away.

Poitras said the suspect was last seen driving west

on Seventh Avenue, in a white Honda Civic with tinted windows.

"Patrol units responded and conducted a thorough search of the area," Poitras said. "But, unfortunately, the vehicle was not located in the city, and (an all-points bulletin) broadcast throughout the county failed to result in an arrest."

■ Two white male suspects are sought in connection with the theft of \$75 from a cash register at the Carmel Pipe Shop, located at Lincoln and Ocean in downtown Carmel.

Poitras said they both entered the store at about 3:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 25, appearing to be browsing. Shortly after they arrived, several other customers entered the store, distracting the lone employee. According to Poitras, the clerk concluded the two men had stolen the money, although he did not witness the theft.

The first suspect is described as a white male adult, about 18 years old, 6 feet tall, 180 pounds, with brown hair. The man was wearing a red flannel shirt, blue jeans and a green baseball cap.

The second suspect is described as a muscular white male adult, about 18 years old, 6 feet tall, 180 pounds, with blond hair. He was wearing a blue flannel shirt and blue jeans.

Poitras said the investigation is continuing.

## Drowned CV woman's watch was at home, police learn

THE CARMEL Valley woman who drowned last week at Carmel Beach was not wearing her watch when she was found because it had been left at home, according to police.

Although police quickly ruled out foul play, some pondered the mystery of what happened to her purse and watch.

The purse is still missing; the watch is accounted for, according to Carmel Police Detective Sgt. Pete Poitras.

Since the incident Tuesday, Feb. 21, the woman's husband confirmed the watch was at home — a fact not known before The Pine Cone deadline the following day.

The 76-year-old Carmel Hacienda resident was found unconscious in a tidepool at the foot of the steps leading up to Scenic and 13th Avenue.

The autopsy confirmed O'Brien had not been "injured, held against her will or struck in any way," Poitras said last week.

O'Brien had taken a walk from the Carmel Foundation (Lincoln and 8th) to Scenic and then to the beach. Police believe she tripped or was toppled by a wave, suffered a seizure and fell into the tidepool.

She had no vital signs when emergency crews arrived and attempted to revive her.

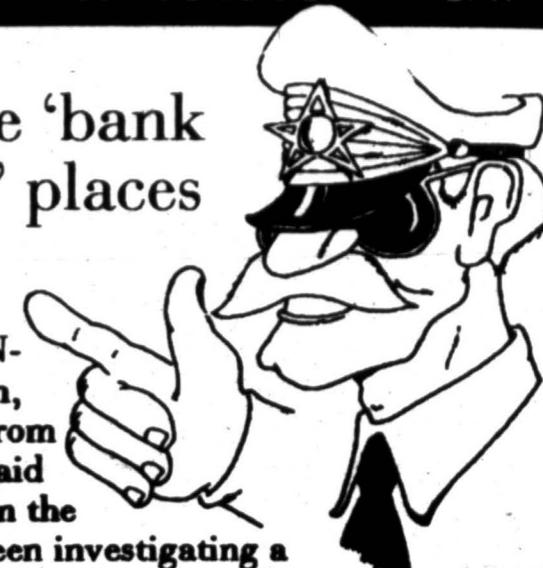
A missing purse sets off less of an alarm, in this case, than a missing watch, Poitras explained. "She could have done anything with her purse, especially since there is some (medical) evidence she suffered a seizure. But a watch is fastened on."

The search for the purse continues, the detective said.

## Crime Tip

FROM THE CARMEL POLICE DEPARTMENT

When the 'bank examiner' places a call



"GOOD MORNING Mrs. Johnson, this is Sam Hill from bank security," said the warm voice on the phone. "We've been investigating a problem at your bank . . . yes ma'am, the Carmel bank where you keep your money."

The smoothness of his voice conveys a sense of quiet authority, leaving little doubt that this is someone who knows what he is doing.

"Mrs. Johnson," he went on, "we need your help. We've discovered that one of our tellers has been stealing money from our customers. It's difficult to prove so we've decided to try to catch her in the act."

"What can I do?" Mrs. Johnson replied.

The concern in her voice told the caller that he had found his mark. "What we would like you to do is go to your bank and withdraw \$5,000 in cash," he told her. "It is very important that you tell no one what you're doing, as we can't be certain that only one employee is involved."

Pausing to let this sink in, the smooth voice answered a question from someone else in the room. "Yes sir," he said, "she's willing to help us; we'll make the arrest this afternoon."

Back to his mark, the caller explains that he had been talking to an associate who is helping him catch the dishonest teller. "He's the one you'll give the money to when you leave the bank," he continued. "Put the money in an envelope; my boss will meet you across the street. He'll be wearing a gray suit and a maroon-colored tie. Hand him the envelope and go straight home. After it's over, we'll put the money back in your account."

### Going along for the ride

Convinced that she's helping her community, the victim does as she's asked. The teller expresses concern about such a large cash withdrawal and questions her reasons for doing so. The victim brushes off her objections and walks quickly from the bank.

The man in the gray suit is waiting across the street. He's honest looking and she hands him the envelope without a second thought.

"Thank you very much for your cooperation Mrs. Johnson. You've been a big help. We'll be in touch," he adds smiling warmly.

Then he is gone.

Hours later, the victim begins to realize she's been had. It's not long before anger replaces confusion and she picks up the phone.

"I've been swindled," she cries to the dispatcher. Two minutes later the police are outside her door.

"I'm sorry," she says, "but there's not much I can tell you. I only saw one of them and I'm not sure I'd recognize him if I saw him again."

### Bringing it home

So, you say, no one would fall for a scam like that in Carmel? The truth is this type of swindle occurs somewhere in the country every day, and our little community is hardly immune. A few months ago in Carmel Valley, a woman fell victim to an unscrupulous swindler who took most of her savings. We don't want it to happen again.

If you are contacted by someone who pitches this type of scenario, call the police immediately. Legitimate bank examiners do not ask people to withdraw cash from their accounts to "catch" a dishonest employee.

If you are asked by a stranger to remove money from your bank, be suspicious. Don't give money to anyone who tells you that it must remain a secret.

There are as many scams as there are people to think them up so we must always be on our guard. If anyone proposes something that seems too good to be true, it probably is. If there's even the slightest doubt, call us. We're here to help 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

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# Learning to survive on 'an impossibly low sum of money'

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My friend "Nellie" lives on a combination of Social Security (SSA) and Supplemental Security Income (SSI). She worked hard all her life at minimal wages and only retired when she was into her 70s.

"If you plan, you can make out," Nellie relates. "I feel sorry for younger people with babies (on limited incomes)."

Her spunky approach reflects what Tasha Doner, social worker for Aging and Community Services, Salinas, finds among her clients with In Home Supportive Services (IHSS) and Adult Protective Services (APS) for Monterey County.

Doner is constantly amazed at how many recipients manage on their SSI allotments and attributes it to three factors: "They have a lot of courage, a good sense of humor, and are very resourceful to manage to survive on what I consider an impossibly low sum of money."

Out of her \$614.40 per month (couples receive \$1,101.71 on SSI), Nellie must pay rent, utilities, food, transportation, clothing, toiletries, household supplies, telephone on the lifeline rate, TV (her main source of entertainment) and a special treat on occasion. People fortunate enough to be in public housing pay only one-third of their incomes for rent.

Nellie stretches her budget with grocery coupons, Brown Bag vegetables from the Food Bank, thrift shops, rummage sales, senior lunch programs and "thinning down" during the last week of the month when funds begin to run out.

## Pets and vets, too

Some seniors, particularly those who live alone and do not have family, find that a pet provides warmth and comfort and is also said to be beneficial to one's health. Yes, older residents sometimes spend part of their meager budgets on pet food and vet bills.

It has been frequently reported that another trade-



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By SHIRLEY KOPLOY

off is between food and medicine. People on SSA alone must pay all their pharmaceutical costs and those on SSI pay for some of the drugs, which can be quite costly.

It's not all on the downside. Generous donors, churches, social and service agencies and service clubs provide for numerous resources if you know where to find them. In Carmel-by-the-Sea alone, there is the privately endowed Carmel Foundation, the police department's senior call service and the city's new St. Bernard program, which puts seniors in touch with sources of help.

But there are significant gaps in the system. People with unmet needs live throughout Monterey County, including Carmel.

## Medi-Cal's impact

People on SSI also receive Medi-Cal, the state version of national Medicaid, which, while it has its limitations, does at relatively little or no cost provide health care, to include: doctors' visits, medicines (if on the approved list), most dentistry and basic eyeglasses.

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## Carmel police put focus on seniors in giving safety tips

TAILORING THE subject matter to their older audience, Carmel city officials focused on how residents, specifically seniors, can do more to look out for their personal safety.

For starters, members of the Carmel City Council, at a special town hall meeting Feb. 16, agreed public safety was their top budget priority.

Carmel Police Chief Don Fuselier's central message was that residents should not mind imposing on public servants.

"People think they don't want to bother us, but please do — we are there 24 hours a day for that reason," he said, at the event held at the Carmel Foundation.

"We'd rather go on 100 wild-goose chases than let one crime go by."

Fuselier, one of the key speakers at the town hall meeting focusing on seniors issues, said resi-

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# Congleton pitches less costly Sunset plan

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Carmel Planning Director Brian Roseth said studying an additional alternative would cost an additional "several thousand dollars."

There is widespread agreement that some kind of renovation is needed to modernize and refurbish the elementary school-turned-performance hall.

The complex suffers from a small stage, poor acoustics, antiquated rigging, cramped storage, inadequate rehearsal and storage space, facilities ill-equipped for the handicapped, and other deficiencies.

Congleton's alternative contrasts with

the \$11 million to \$13 million plan created by BOOR/A, the Portland, Ore.-based architectural firm that completed its conceptional design work for the city in 1993.

(A private fund-raising group, Sunset Center for the Arts, is committed to the task of raising the funds totally through private donations.)

The BOOR/A plan would call for a full-scale demolition and redevelopment, in which a world-class theater would replace the old school auditorium.

It is debatable whether the BOOR/A solution is still the "mainstream" proposal, but it was the first model for the

renovation to be fully fleshed.

Critics, Congleton included, are concerned about at least three areas:

■ **Cost.**

■ **The need for complete demolition.**

This aspect of the plan suggests the existing building, which dates back to 1934, would be a casualty of the project.

■ **Mass and height.**

Critics don't like the idea of a more massive building, which would be raised 16 feet at the roof as well.

"I would like to see the big BOOR/A project removed from the list of projects (to be considered in the EIR)," said Councilwoman Paula Hazdovac, noting she is intrigued by Congleton's plan.

"I don't think it is too late to consider his alternative," she added.

But Mayor Ken White said he does not wish to consider brand-new concepts in the EIR scoping — only those (including the BOOR/A plan) spelled out by the planning commission following public hearings.

Congleton's "base-case" scheme, meanwhile, seeks to accomplish the goals of the renovation without paying too much or changing the existing character of Sunset Center.

For starters, the shell of the building would be left as is, but construction would consist of a new west wing — starting at the stage and projecting out roughly 30 feet to the parking lot off San Carlos Street.

This addition, Congleton said, makes possible many new improvements — the deeper stage, more wing space, the new loft, larger proscenium. In addition, he said, acoustics could be improved without a demolition.

## Residents glad supes spared Rio parking

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petitions stating their opposition to the county's plan and submitted them to 5th District Monterey County Supervisor Sam Karas, who agreed with their objections.

The proposed Rio Road parking restrictions were part of 12 scheduled improvements to Highway 1 from Ocean Avenue to Rio Road.

The improvements included adding a second lane from east to west on Rio Road across the highway and a 600-foot two-way left-turn lane in the center of Rio Road west of Highway 1 to Oliver Road.

Both the supervisors and Monterey County Public Works agreed to scrap the Rio Road project based on new information showing that the improvements would actually cause more traffic problems for the residents of Missions Fields.

"We felt the plan served no purpose," Karas said after Tuesday's meeting. "Especially when not one person spoke in support of it."

The plan also called for adding a right-turn lane from Rio Road onto Highway 1, which the board agreed to keep as part of the 11 remaining improvements to Highway 1.

Although county public works designed the Rio Road plan, the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) was to supervise the construction and fund the

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## A glimpse at other renovation alternatives

**BRIAN CONGLETON** is hardly the first person to suggest compromise projects.

Even without his "base-case alternative," the Carmel Planning Commission's recommended scope for the environmental impact report (EIR) includes the following projects in addition to the well-known BOOR/A concept:

■ **BOOR/A mitigated.**

This plan would include the same full demolition and redevelopment, but the roof line would not be raised 16 feet. This would be accomplished with a flat-top roof.

In effect, graceful architecture would be sacrificed for neighborhood concerns — and sticking under the legal height limit.

There would be a new theater and new facilities; the overall size of the

complex would be bigger.

The plan might also modify various elements of the BOOR/A plan, such as landscaping and parking.

■ **Existing expanded.**

This is more than an addition, since the expansion would be carried out by widening the complex at its "spine." In other words, this project would be less extensive than the BOOR/A plan, but would still require the demolition of at least half of the existing building.

■ **Historic renovation.**

For the preservation-minded, this alternative seeks to make as many improvements as possible without altering the building's shell.

■ **No project.**

A mandatory subject of the EIR.

■ **Different project sites.**

Where? The EIR would attempt to determine that.



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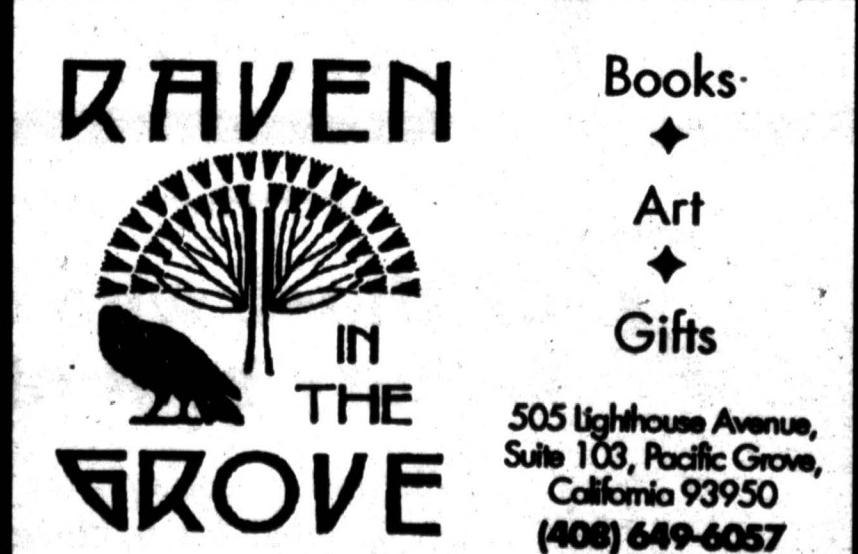
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# Red Cross celebration set for March 11

*'This is our way to thank them all'*

THE AMERICAN Red Cross Carmel chapter will hold "A Celebration of Community Spirit" event from 2 to 4 p.m. on Saturday, March 11 at the Carmel Mission Inn on Rio Road.

March is National Red Cross Month and on March 11 Red Cross chapters across the nation will conduct disaster drills and hold disaster education programs, said Lynnette Balesteri, executive director of the Carmel chapter.

"We've just been through a national disaster," she said referring to the January flood in Mission Fields and Carmel Valley Village. "We had a real drill. So, we chose to use the day to honor the flood victims and everyone who helped us."

"There was such a wonderful outpouring of community spirit from volunteers, businesses, city and

## Jordan 'did not kidnap me,' CHS freshman maintains

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endangering themselves.

Don was just freaking out. Do you know about the accident?

(Mayor Jordan told reporters that his son's violent outbursts could be laid to head injuries suffered in an auto accident.)

Pine Cone: Yes. How do your folks feel about all this?

Garner: They don't agree with us being together. They know I'm not going to stop. It'll take time — they have to adjust. I love him with all my heart, and I'd do anything for him. I'm going to see him Tuesday, during visiting hours.

He did not kidnap me. I wanted to be with him. He never threatened to kill me, and totally treated me good (while they were away). I knew he wouldn't hurt me.

I could get in trouble, too. I've hit him before, in the face. It doesn't matter who hits — man or woman — it's not right. We forgive each other. We have a perfect relationship.

county officials and the media," Balesteri added. "This is our way to thank them all."

## Fuerst: New dam would have prevented January flooding

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certain benefits would be "incidental" to the project.

"The main benefits are to improve the area's water supply and restore the (Carmel River) environment," Fuerst said.

Moreover, he explained the dam would not always prevent disaster, as in the case of persisting heavy rains.

Flooding would not be prevented with a similar heavy storm late in the season, should the new reservoir be near capacity.

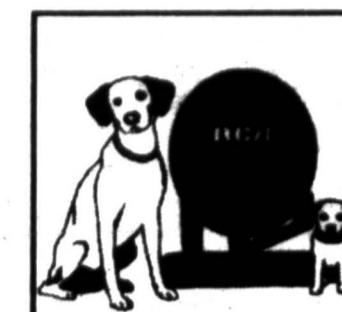
As it turned out, January produced a remarkable 16.05 inches — the most for any month on record — while February yielded only .67 inches.

The flooding of Mission Fields — located just southeast of the Carmel city limits — would have been prevented by the dam "because of the dry conditions" from a dry calendar year 1994, he explained.

Fuerst made use of streamflow data from January to produce computer simulations.

His calculations show that if the proposed reservoir had been on-line, it would have contained about 6,400 acre-feet of water during the first week of January. It would have filled to its full capacity of 24,000 acre-feet and begun spilling by the third week in January.

By capturing about one-half of the storm flow, the dam would have been "enough to prevent flooding in Mission Fields," Fuerst summarized.



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# Eastwood, others help save youth baseball season

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"The city also has been able to offer the use of some of our equipment and vehicles," White added, "and we offered two employees to work on the field with volunteers if they needed them."

"We were really able to get some help quickly to Carmel Youth Baseball."

Similarly, Baldwin said the school district has mowed Larson Field "two or three times," because CYB's \$4,000 riding mower was damaged by flood waters.

Parker said a \$20,000 renovation of

the snack bar at Larson Field will begin this week, with the hope it will be up and running by opening day. "We have a donor who is willing to underwrite the rebuilding of the snack bar," he said.

According to Parker, Pebble Beach residents Bill Agee and Mary Cunningham Agee agreed Monday to donate a sizeable sum for the snack bar renovation.

Parker said the couple wanted to contribute to CYB in memory of their grandmother, Elizabeth Sears, whose great-grandchildren are enrolled in CYB. Sears, an avid baseball fan, died several years

ago at the age of 104, according to Parker.

And the community at large showed its generosity and compassion as well, Parker said, noting CYB organizers received "several thousand dollars in donations from individuals and families."

"Volunteers have already put in a year's worth of work," Parker noted, "but nobody's complaining because it's definitely worth it to have baseball for the kids."

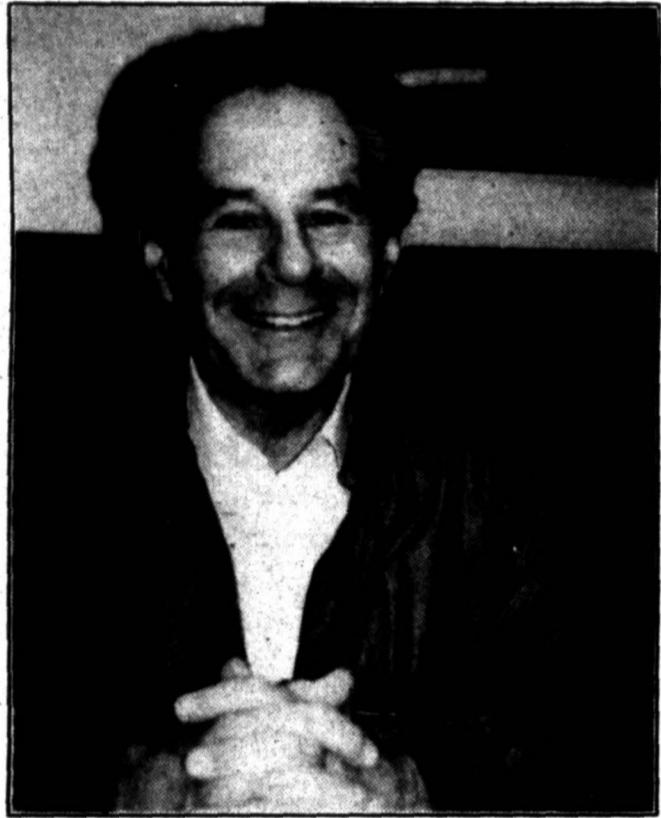
Parker says there's a lot of work yet to be done at Larson Field. Volunteers will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday for a two-hour

cleanup effort. "Anybody in the community is welcome to show up," he said.

Although Parker reported CYB signups were down significantly in the weeks following the floods, there are now about 300 boys and girls who will play on 25 different baseball teams, not to mention another 75 girls signed up for softball. Practice commences next week.

CYB President Joe Newman said that while obstacles remain, the season is definitely a go. "The community works together when it comes to baseball for the kids," he said.

## Park district to help with City of Carmel's open space effort



PHOTO/PINE CONE FILE

Leavy says the park district will do what it can to help Carmel preserve open space.

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"There is a good chance the board may agree to commit some money," Park District Manager Gary Tate said, recognizing the City of Carmel has little, if any, money to contribute.

Tate did not disclose what specific recommendations he would make to the board.

Another piece of open space to be discussed is Rio Park, a riverside parcel the city bought in 1990. Carmel officials have been frustrated by lack of funds to develop the tract as a recreational area.

"Carmel hasn't needed help in the past, but now it is suffering from the same lack of funding that other cities are," Leavy said.

The park district's recent success in acquiring beachfront Rocky Shores parcels in Pacific Grove proved to be a model for how the agency, with the

cooperation of a city, can spearhead a preservation effort, Leavy explained.

On the subject of Pescadero Canyon, he said he expects the board to form a committee that would study fund-raising

avenues.

On Rio Park, Leavy said the park district may seek purchase of only part of the six acres, a floodplain with limited development potential.

## Supes scrap Rio Road improvements

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project, at an estimated cost of about \$300,000.

"Caltrans did not object to our decision," Karas said. "When you consider the number of children who ride bikes or walk to school, plus the pedestrians, the impact of the improve-

ments would only increase the danger for those individuals."

Construction is not expected to begin on any of the Highway 1 projects for at least two years, as California's bridges have taken priority since the January 1994 Northridge earthquake, according to Caltrans officials.

## Even with state funding and city approvals, proposed bike path could prove too costly

**BOARDWALK** from page 3

be adequately addressed, Cullem said the next step will be to ask city council to approve an application for state grant funds set aside specifically for bike routes and pedestrian pathways.

Cullem said that because the City of Carmel would be a co-applicant with the county and park district, the approval process would be expedited. The city's bike route plan is being developed in conjunction with its master plan and the county's "bicycle master plan."

But even with state funding and city approvals, the project could prove too costly, Cullem noted.

"Because the embankment on the

west side of (San Antonio) drops away so sharply, the only feasible and cost-effective pathway is a boardwalk," he said.

"The first two-block section would be very expensive," Cullem added. "That portion of it — between San Antonio and Fourth — could be as much as \$100,000."

But Cullem noted the project is still just a proposal. With approvals, he said the earliest possible start date would be "sometime in the fall."

"We'll only be advancing the concept to the various city commissions and (city) council when the concerns of the residents can be resolved."

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## More Sheriff's Log . . .

LOG from page 4

dan last night or early this morning while the vehicle was parked in his driveway. "Estimated loss — \$250."

• Carmel Valley: A woman reported "getting a call this morning where no one spoke on the phone."

• Pebble Beach: An anonymous male caller said there was a bomb on the first floor of a hotel. He hoped that "personnel there have good luck finding it." The entire place was checked; nothing found. "The caller had a speech impediment, and seemed to have used a cellular phone."

SATURDAY, FEB. 25

• Carmel: A Monterey man reported that his vehicle was keyed (scratched with a key) while it was parked behind a shopping center. "Total damage estimated at \$750."

• Carmel: A woman reported "29 baseballs taken from a basket on her front porch." The balls were used as toys for her dog. "No suspect leads."

• Carmel: A woman reported "more than a dozen eggs" tossed against the walls and windows of her townhouse. "Estimated damage — \$500. No suspect information."

• Carmel: A Carmel man reported that "his stepson pried open the rear door and entered without authorization."

• Carmel: A Pacific Grove man was found with pallets taken from a supermarket. He was stopped in front of a restaurant.

• Carmel Valley: A bartender reported that "a customer threw ice on him" after the bartender "refused to serve him a drink due to lack of ID. Suspect gone on officer's arrival."

• Pebble Beach: A woman reported a hole in the trunk lid of her auto. "The damage was old — heavy rust—and appeared to be accidental damage from something falling on the trunk."

• Big Sur: Officer did a vehicle check at Highway 1 and Lucia. "Contacted a Castro Valley (Alameda County) man who had several guns with him, including a Mac 11. He could not show ownership of the gun; it was confiscated for safe keeping."

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"in custody for shoplifting" at a supermarket.

• Carmel Valley: A local man was stopped for having a broken tail light on his vehicle. "He was found to have a suspended driver's license. He was cited, and his car towed to Monterey Garage."

• Carmel Valley: "Radio advised of a 911 hangup. (Officer) contacted a woman and man at the address. They had a disagreement."

• Pebble Beach: A man reported "ongoing problems with his neighbors."

MONDAY, FEB. 27

• Carmel Highlands: A patient at Community Hospital reported that she got a phone call from her 11-year-old daughter, who said if she couldn't come and visit the mother she was going to "kill herself with pills." Officers contacted the child. The girl said she told her mother

that because she missed her mother. She said she had "no intention whatsoever of killing herself." Arrangements were made for the child to see her mother after school. "No pills involved."

• Carmel Highlands: An inn manager called to report a golf cart missing from the maintenance office. Later she called to advise that the cart had been found on the premises with no damage to it. "Case

closed."

• Carmel Valley: A woman reported "the front door of her business open when she arrived at work this morning." A breaker switch to one room also had been turned off — "a common problem."

• Big Sur: A local woman reported being verbally harassed by her employer. She subsequently was fired and "advised by deputies that this was a civil matter."

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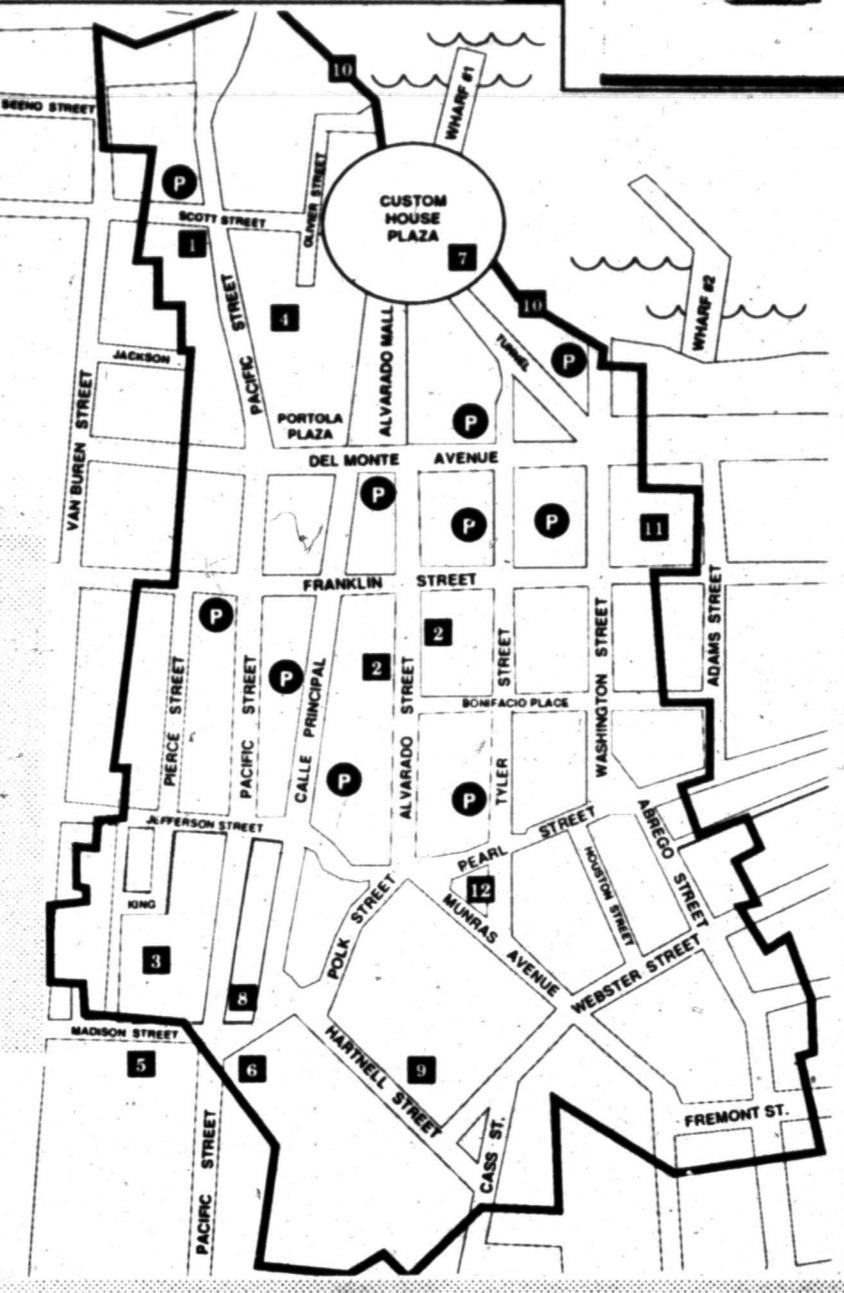
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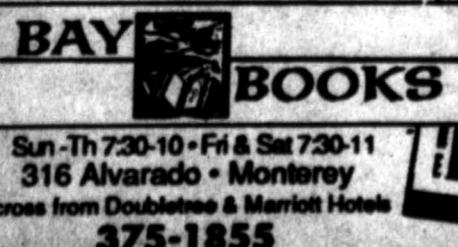


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By DORIS DAY

### Canine bloat

DO YOU enjoy jogging after a hard day at the office? An invigorating run may help to relieve stress and clear your head, but it can spell danger for your Best Friend.

Exercising just before or soon after eating can cause gas to form in your dog's stomach. Particularly in large dogs, the gas can become trapped and expand without being released, resulting in a condition called gastric dilation or "bloat."

Bloat is described as the "silent killer" because it can strike an apparently healthy dog without warning. The first symptom is a swollen and painful abdomen. The dog may be restless and attempt to vomit. As the stomach continues to expand, it affects the blood supply to the internal organs. The lungs have less room to expand and breathing becomes difficult. If the stomach twists, it will cause further complications.

Bloat is a medical emergency. If you suspect your dog is suffering from it, contact your veterinarian immediately.

According to veterinary experts, these suggestions will help protect against bloat:

■ Avoid sudden changes in your pet's diet. Any changes should be done gradually, over a seven- to 10-day period.

■ If your pet gulps its meals, feed two or more small meals a day. In a multi-pet household, feed dogs individually in a quiet place. "Gulpers" may feel they have to protect their food from other pets.

■ Feeding should not be preceded or followed by exercise.

Of course, by best advice is to leave your dog at home when you jog. Run with a human friend or listen to a Walkman for company. And later, you and Fido can enjoy a nice, brisk walk together!

### High-rise warning

Upper-story window ledges and balconies can be dangerous lounging spots for cats and dogs. Ruptured lungs, broken bones or teeth, and torn spleens or bladders are some of the injuries animals have sustained in accidents such as falls from high levels.

Please don't put your pets in jeopardy. Keep your windows screened or closed and supervise your pet when it's taking a siesta on the terrace.

### Reminder

Skin problems are often more than skin-deep. Allergies, metabolic disorders, vitamin deficiencies and parasites can cause such symptoms as dandruff, hair loss and oily skin. If your pet's coat isn't up to par, get medical advice.

### Quotable quote

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# As fears mount, seniors are called upon to use survival skills

## KOPOLOY from page 11

It is increasingly difficult to find providers who will take new Medi-Cal patients, due to low reimbursement and mounting paperwork. Natividad Hospital in Salinas and Department of Health clinics in Seaside and Marina serve Medi-Cal patients and are a boon to these patients.

For some frail elderly, transportation can be a problem, although the Monterey County RIDES program and volunteer organizations take up some of the slack.

The fear of costs they cannot afford, however small, tends to make some Medicare patients less eager to go to the doctor or call an ambulance in an emergency, because of the co-payments. The difficulty in finding providers has the same effect on Medi-Cal patients.

If someone on SSI is unable to do housework or

needs personal care, he or she may be eligible for help in the home for a limited number of hours at the government's expense. A helper may be provided by IHSS or the recipient. The helpers may be low-income people who need to augment their incomes. Meals on Wheels may be available without charge.

### News no comfort

Among my lunchmates at a senior center, the conversation turns from the "organ recital" (the litany of aches and pains) to current headlines and stories sometimes buried in inside pages.

How will President Clinton's budget and the GOP's "Contract with America" affect us? It's hard enough to get along under present conditions.

The news is not reassuring. The nutrition program (senior lunches), facing possible curtailment, was re-

cued for the time being by a mass of phone calls and lobbying efforts.

Already there has been a freeze on home health care payments, which will keep rates at the 1993-1994 level through mid-1996. Medi-Cal, Medicare and Social Security already are the subject of some scrutiny, or will be.

Almost all of us 65 and over, as well as the younger generation, can be affected. When illness strikes and eats up assets and incomes, even the formerly affluent find themselves plunging precariously close to the poverty level. Sons and daughters of aging parents, already on tight budgets, also become concerned.

You personally may not be in need, but you may want to donate or volunteer for senior programs and you may know someone who needs a boost.

As fears mount up, we seniors may be called upon even more than ever to rely on courage, resourcefulness and — yes — our sense of humor to survive. Just like "Nellie."

## Savvy or not, seniors most often vulnerable to swindlers

### SAFETY from page 11

Dentists should never hesitate to dial "911," even if they haven't determined the nature of the emergency.

The next time a solicitor won't stop knocking at

your front door, "call us and we'll check them out right away," Fuselier said.

In addition, police and fire officials will conduct security checks for free.

There are threats not just at the front door but over the phone. The typical phone scams involve credit card numbers or requests for donations, the chief said. For all their worldly experience, seniors are frequently the most vulnerable to being swindled.

Women who carry purses are advised to leave them behind whenever possible. "Carry what you need on your person and leave the rest," Fuselier said.

## Births

HERE'S A look at babies born recently at the Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula:

### ■ CARMEL

Brandon Stanley Yoshio, boy, to Julie and Greg Satow, Feb. 8.

Ashlee Ann Michelle, girl, to Christy and Jim Brecker, Feb. 18.

### ■ CARMEL VALLEY

Anna Sierra, girl, to Karen O'Callaghan and Don Wilcoxon, Feb. 8.

### ■ MONTEREY

Harrison Grey, boy, to Donakay and Michael Johnson, Feb. 10.

### ■ PACIFIC GROVE

Nicholas Robert, boy, to Mary and Guy Giraudo, Jan. 28.

Kyle Wayne, boy, to Marla and Rick Sharlow, Feb. 17.

Kevin Lee, Jr., boy, to Kim and Kevin Teskey, Feb. 7.

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Ibeth, girl, to Carmen Perez and Alfredo Esparza, Feb. 9.

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## Where There's a Will...

By THOMAS HART HAWLEY

### Protecting your assets ... or how to keep creditors away

SEVERAL COLUMNS ago we left The Artful Dodger in a state of acute paranoia over the prospect of hordes of creditors swooping down to plunder his precious possessions. (This is highly unlikely since Art is the type of person who rushes down to pay his monthly PG&E bill in person and has receipts to prove it going back to the Great Depression.)

Having reluctantly decided to pass on the Offshore Trust, Art is casting about for more conventional ways to preserve wealth. And so he dropped by his clever attorney's office to have a chat. Here are some things they explored:

**■ Exempt Assets:** First off, under state law there are certain assets not even the most rapacious creditor can grab. For example, Art, having reached the age of 65, finds that he and Ellie have a homestead exemption of \$100,000. This means that up to \$100,000 of equity in the family residence is secure. (Art's son, Roger, and his wife have an exemption of \$75,000.)

Other exempt assets, to name a few, are automobiles (up to \$1,200), household furnishings and personal effects, jewelry and works of art (up to \$2,500), life insurance policies (up to \$4,000 of the loan value) and certain retirement benefits.

Although state exemptions are nice to have around,

they are so limited as to provide little comfort to most of us.

**■ Living Trusts:** Forget living trusts as a means of protecting assets. At best, a living trust may slow up, but will not stop the onslaught of creditors.

**■ Tax Saving Trusts:** Perhaps you recall the various tax saving trusts that Art can set up for his family ...

- the *bypass trust* that escapes tax in Ellie's estate;
- the *QTIP trust* that qualifies for the marital deduction (or the QDOT trust if the surviving spouse is not a citizen); or
- the *generation skipping trust* that escapes tax in the estate of Art's son, Roger.

All of these trusts, if properly drafted, contain a "spendthrift" provision. This provision states that the trust is exempt from the claims of the beneficiary's creditors. Thus, Art can place assets in trust for the benefit for his wife, Ellie, and his son, Roger, that will be secure. Creditors can only look longingly at these trust assets much like Aesop's fox looked at the hanging grapes.

Art must bear in mind that once the assets of a trust are distributed to a beneficiary they are no longer protected. Art may decide, therefore, to put a "sprinkling power" in his trust. This allows the trustee to

choose which of Art's family members to make distributions to. Thus, the trustee can choose *not* to make distributions to a beneficiary whose creditors are camped out on the welcome mat.

**■ Charitable trusts:** Several columns ago we discussed the tax advantages of Art's creating a charitable trust. A charitable trust also gives Art protection against creditors because the assets in the hands of the charity cannot be touched.

Art's creditors, however, can reach trust distributions once Art has received them. If Art doesn't like the idea of creditors swooping down on these distributions, he can instruct the Trustee to invest solely in growth stock. Then there will be no distributions upon which to swoop. Art can thus delay receiving further distribution until his financial troubles have blown over.

All of this makes Art feel somewhat more secure. But at night on his headboard, the black crows of worry still roost. Next time, perhaps, we can put a few more of these birds to flight.

Thomas Hart Hawley, who has practiced on the Monterey Peninsula since 1969, is a certified specialist in estate planning, trust and probate law. Hawley's practice is located on San Carlos between 7th and 8th in downtown Carmel. He can be reached at 624-5339.

Temple, Texas; nine step-grandchildren; one step-great-granddaughter. Her husband, Raymond, died Jan. 24. Memorial contributions: The donor's favorite charity.

Gail, Seaside; three grandchildren. Memorial contributions: Alzheimer's Association, 801 Lighthouse Ave., Monterey, 93940.

Woodbury, Lois G., 89, of Carmel, died Feb. 17. Born in Miles, Iowa, the administrative assistant for New England Life Insurance Co. in Oakland was a member of the Mixet Co. for 40 years, a founder and leader of Play Acres Nursery School in Montebello and a past president of the Soroptimist Club International. Survived by her husband, Richard; a son, Jim Pauling, Carmel; a daughter, Anita, Del Mar; a brother, Woodson Warder, Liberty, Mo.; one grandson.

McGuire, Ruby Lee, 81, of Pebble Beach, died Feb. 16. Born in Oklahoma City, the home-maker, who moved from Los Angeles to live in Pebble Beach for the past 20 years, was a member of the Monterey Peninsula Country Club. Survived by a stepson, Michael, Los Angeles; a stepdaughter, Carroll, Santa Fe, N.M.; a brother, James Walker,

Lutz, Roman J., 71, of Carmel, died Feb. 15. Born in Buffalo, N.Y., the University of Maryland and University of Iowa graduate retired in 1973 as an Army colonel after serving during World War II, the Korea and Vietnam wars and as chief of mis-

Hardy, Thomas H., 73, of Carmel, died Feb. 21. Born in St. Louis, the graduate of the University of Maryland was a World War II pilot, who also served in the Korean and Vietnam wars. Survived by his wife, Jane; a daughter, Patricia, Watsonville; a brother, William, Benton Harbor, Mich. Memorial contributions: Hospice House, Monterey.

### Big Sur man killed in truck accident

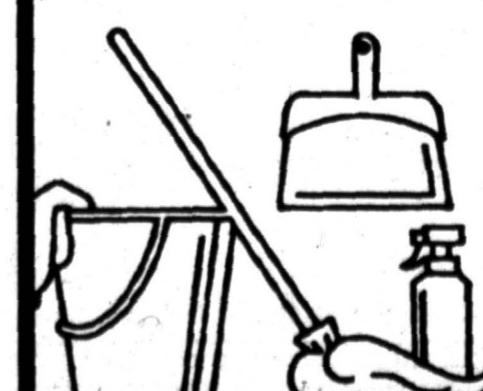
A BIG SUR man was killed last week after his truck overturned on Highway 1, according to a Monterey County Sheriff's Department report.

Phillip Downs, 42, lost control of his 1982 Ford pickup truck as he was driving northbound on Highway 1 near the Castro Creek Bridge — located about 30 miles south of Carmel — at about 3 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 23. He sustained major injuries and died at the scene, according to the report.

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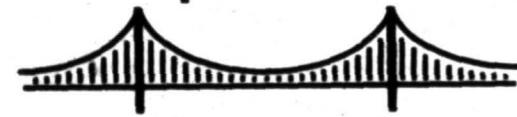
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## MTAL hoop teams toppled in tourney

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

### THUD!

That loud crashing noise you heard this past week was a result of all nine Mission Trail Athletic League teams — five on the boys side, four on the girls — being rudely drummed out of the Central Coast Section prep basketball playoffs after the first week of competition.

Perhaps there were no greater surprises than both Pacific Grove High basketball teams being upended in their first CCS Division IV playoff games after dominating the MTAL during the regular season.

The No. 1-seeded PG boys, who entered the game at 23-4, were shocked by No. 8 Saratoga, 57-48, last Saturday, while the No. 3-seeded PG girls, 25-1 when they took the floor, were eliminated by No. 6 Monte Vista Christian, 54-47.

That was just a taste of what took place in the wacky CCS playoffs. The news wasn't much better for the Robert Louis Stevenson boys or the two Carmel High School teams.

Both CHS squads dropped their first games as the boys fell 52-42 in the first round on Wednesday, Feb. 22 to Saratoga, the very same team that popped PC's balloon.

"We played Saratoga tough, but we couldn't knock down our perimeter shots," CHS head coach Rich Frank said. "And this season we lived and died by the perimeter shot."

### Injury thwarts Padres

The Padre girls entered their game last Saturday as the No. 4 seed against Notre Dame of San Jose, the bracket's No. 5 team.

But early into the first quarter, Carmel's 6-0 center Darlene Tulua, an all-MTAL first team selection, went down with a knee injury in what would later be diagnosed as torn tendons.

"This is the first time I've been injured ... ever," Tulua said.

The Padre girls, although missing their dominant player in the pivot, played inspired ball and trailed by only five at intermission. But Notre Dame put together a second-half run of 12 straight points, which eventually led to the Padres' ouster, 56-34.

The RLS boys, meanwhile, were one team that registered a victory — the Pirates whipped Terra Nova in a first-round game, 67-48, on Wednesday, Feb. 22 at Pebble Beach. But the Pirates caught the MTAL bug in their second-round game Saturday at Los Altos when they were bounced by Capuchino High, 53-50.

"Capuchino's an excellent team, and I thought we matched them the whole game," Bill Hankison, RLS head coach, said. "The second half, they shot a little better than we did, but it was just a really tight game."

RLS junior Sean Jackson led both teams with 21 points.

### Responding to the collapse

Regarding the MTAL's collapse in the CCS playoffs, the two boys' coaches offered their reactions.

"I'm not terribly surprised," Frank said. "As a league, we had a lot of parity and not one team was outstanding. I always thought PC had some flaws."

Frank went on to say he thought RLS had the most talent in the league even though its finished second behind PG.

Hankison, on the other hand, was a bit taken aback by the past week's results.

"I was surprised — I thought PG would do a little better," he noted. "I thought Palma might win, and I thought we would win."

Other MTAL teams eliminated early were the Palma boys, a 55-45 loser to San Jose Academy; the Alisal boys, who were drubbed 82-43 by Bellarmine Prep in Division I play; the King City girls, who fell in a Division III first-round game; and the Notre Dame girls, a 74-54 loser to Menlo High.

The CCS boys and girls title games will be played Friday and Saturday at The Event Center, San Jose State.

— Compiled by Jeff Davi, Amir Masliyah, Doug Thompson

## ■ Spring Sports Preview: RLS baseball

# Pritchard-led Pirates seek return to MTAL's upper rung

By JOHN DAVI

WITH THE demise of the prep basketball season comes the spring. And along with springtime comes baseball.

If the ongoing strike in Major League Baseball has left you disillusioned and dejected, you may find solace in local high school hardball. Specifically, the Robert Louis Stevenson Pirates open their pre-season tonight in the Monterey Peninsula Invitational Tournament, a five-team, five-day event that includes Carmel, Monterey, Pacific Grove and Seaside high schools.

The Pirates square off against Monterey today at 6:30 p.m. at Sollecito Park in Monterey in what will provide an early preview of the 1995 RLS squad.

Head coach Dan Powers, in his fifth season at the helm of the Pirates, is hoping to rectify last year's disappointing season, which saw RLS finish in last place in the Mission Trail Athletic League. Helping him are assistant coaches Bob Tingle and newcomer Paul Wilcox, who made the move up from the junior varsity.

"We've been up and down in past years," said Powers, who, along with his team, suffered through a 4-18 season in 1994. "And last year was an off season."

The coaches are attempting to reverse the recent slide with a smaller, younger squad.

"Our roster is shorter than before," Powers noted. "I would say we're leaner and meaner. This way, everyone gets more playing time and, in practice, you can work a lot more with individuals. You take the risk of being a bit shallow, but it's a risk you have to take."

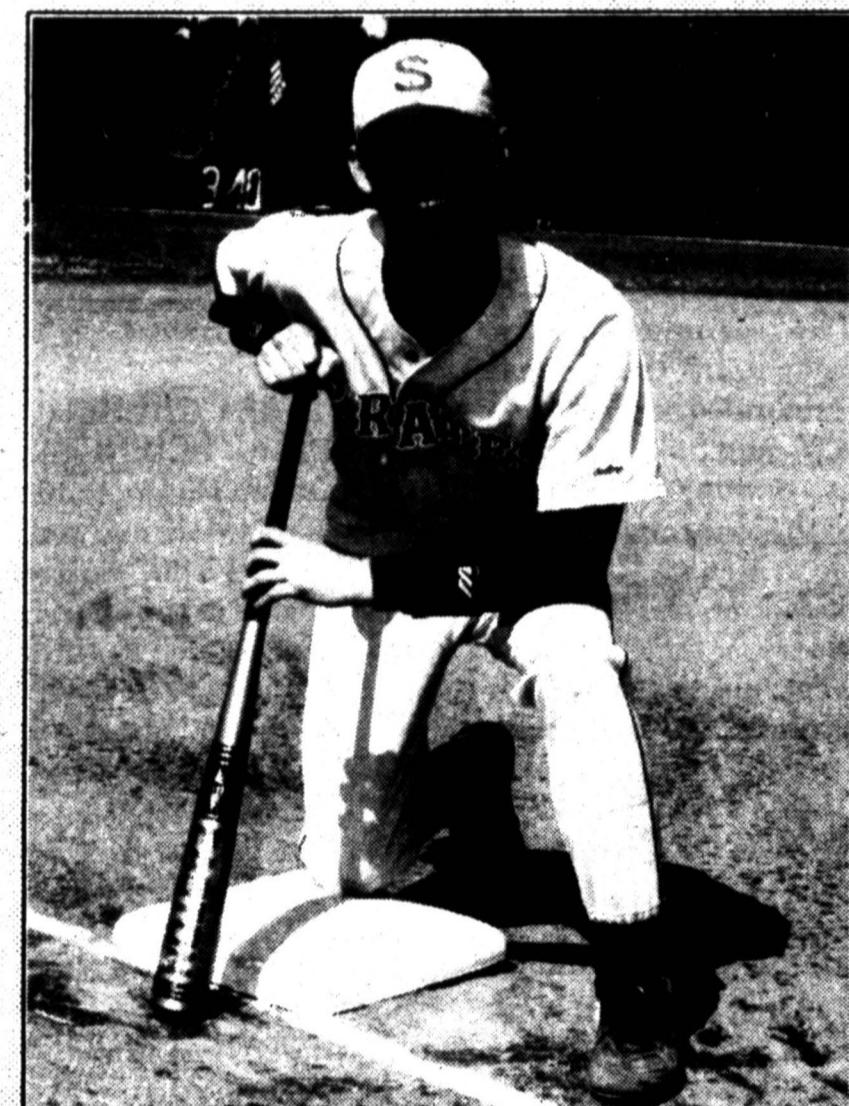
"I hate to prognosticate, but it's a good group of guys, and they've been working hard. There's a difference between how teams look on paper and how they play. I'm hoping to have everyone play at their potential, have fun and improve."

### RLS' shining star

One player who has little room for such improvement is senior outfielder and team captain Jeff Pritchard, a returning first team all-MTAL player in his fourth season on the varsity squad.

"He's got outstanding skills and is really a prospect," Powers said. "He's an excellent hitter, for both average and power, he's got a super arm and he can run. He's definitely my best player."

Pritchard, in center field, will be joined in the



PHOTO/COLE THOMPSON

One of the area's burgeoning baseball stars is RLS outfielder Jeff Pritchard, an all-leaguer last season.

outfield by senior Laith Agha and in the infield by brother Aaron Pritchard, a junior shortstop, and Zach Shope, a senior at second base.

The pitching staff centers on returning seniors Matt Dowlen and Brendan Dotson, and newcomers Mark Guess, a junior, and Joey Baker and Allan Tulloch, both sophomores.

"They're looking really good," Powers said of his staff, which will see plenty of action in the upcoming tournament. "We play four games in five days, so we'll see how it goes."

After facing Monterey tonight, RLS will play against Pacific Grove at 3:30 p.m. Friday, at 2 p.m. Saturday against Carmel and will finish up with a 6:30 p.m. contest versus Seaside on Tuesday.

RLS opens MTAL play on March 21 against King City.

■ Next week: A preview of the Carmel High School varsity baseball team.

## PREP SPORTS SLATE

### TODAY

- Baseball: Peninsula Tournament, Sollecito Park, Monterey: Carmel vs. Seaside, 3:30 p.m.; RLS vs. Monterey, 6:30 p.m.
- Softball: Monterey vs. Carmel at Carmel Middle School, 3:30 p.m.
- Boys tennis: Carmel at Aptos, 3 p.m.
- Golf: Gilroy vs. Carmel at Pebble Beach Golf Links, 3:30 p.m.

### Padre wrestlers Lauterbach, Murray cap seasons by faring well at CCS

CARMEL HIGH School wrestlers Toby Lauterbach and Lee Murray competed in the Central Coast Section post-season tournament on Friday, Feb. 24 in Santa Clara, and both picked up wins before being eliminated.

Lauterbach, competing in the 154-pound weight class, missed a semifinal berth by two points after splitting his four matches. The junior will be returning next season for more action on the mat, whereas his teammate, Murray, who enjoyed an excellent year, capped his CHS wrestling career by winning one of his three matches in the 191-pound weight class.

### FRIDAY

- Baseball: Peninsula Tournament, Sollecito Park, Monterey: RLS vs. Pacific Grove, 3:30 p.m. and Carmel vs. Monterey, 6:30 p.m.
- Swimming & Diving: Alisal at Carmel, 3:30 p.m.

### SATURDAY

- Baseball: Peninsula Tournament, Sollecito Park, Monterey: Carmel vs. RLS, 2 p.m.
- Track & Field: RLS at Los Banos Invitational, 9 a.m.

### MONDAY

- Baseball: Peninsula Tournament, Sollecito Park, Monterey: Carmel vs. Pacific Grove, 3:30 p.m.
- Tennis: Harbor at Carmel, 3 p.m.
- Golf: RLS in Monterey Bay Invitational, Salinas Golf Club, 11:30 a.m.

### TUESDAY

- Baseball: Peninsula Tournament, Sollecito Park, Monterey: RLS vs. Seaside, 6:30 p.m.
- Softball: RLS at Monte Vista Christian, 3:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY

- Baseball: Aptos at Carmel, 3:30 p.m.
- Softball: Carmel in PG Tournament, TBA.
- Boys tennis: RLS at Alisal, 3:30 p.m.; Carmel at Gonzales, 3 p.m.
- Swimming: RLS at Gilroy, 3:30 p.m.
- Golf: Hollister vs. RLS at Spyglass Hill, 3:30 p.m.

*[Note: Unless otherwise indicated, times listed denote start of varsity events.]*

## Editorial

# Innovative Sunset Center plan deserves further study

CREDIT GOES to Mayor Ken White for staging a last-minute workshop last week to gather final comments on the proposed renovation of Sunset Center.

Before the Carmel City Council selects a firm to conduct the environmental impact report and finalizes the EIR's scope on Tuesday, it must be sure about the types of projects it considers worthy of detailed study.

What's puzzling is that White, who hoped for a useful session Thursday, does not wish to explore the best thing to come out of the workshop: Carmel architect Brian Congleton's attractive plan for a new wing west of the existing stage — no demolition needed.

It would not be fair, White told the newspaper, to all those besides the former planning commissioner who may have their own vision for the renovation.

We understand the mayor's concern. Our point, however, is not to support Congleton's plan above others, but to urge the city at least to explore the new approach he has spelled out.

Could a simple addition, without any redevelopment, do the trick? The EIR is the best vehicle for finding out.

### Premature and too late

The day after the workshop White himself orchestrated, the mayor told The Pine Cone that Congleton's scheme was both "premature" and "too late."

*Premature*, he said, because specific plans should come after the EIR is completed. But the fact is, the city council won't agree to a proposal that was not studied in the EIR.

*Too late*, he said, because the EIR scope has already been narrowed by the planning commission.

Was White looking for token comments, or did he want valuable input? Clearly, the door should remain open to new concepts until the scope is finalized Tuesday.

We believe Congleton's approach deserves study alongside the four other serious renovation schemes, even if that boosts the cost of the EIR by "several thousand dollars," as Planning Director Brian Roseth estimated.

It is better to spend a few thousand more now than a few million more later.

The alternatives to the Cadillac version of the project — the \$11 million to \$13 million "BOOR/A plan" — have completely different approaches than Congleton's "base-case" alternative.

For starters, even the ostensibly modest "existing expanded" version of the renovation would require demolition of more than half the existing structure.

Congleton's concept may do the best job in responding to those who have concerns surrounding the expense and massiveness of the BOOR/A project. Yet it would still address acoustics, performer space and the need for better public areas.

If compromise solutions are sought for Sunset, why not make a determined effort to find the best one? The EIR's scope should look at a new wing, or some kind of addition.

Given the growing opposition to the full-blown BOOR/A plan both on and off the council, the thorough examination of alternatives may be the key to finding the best project.

Let's hope the council doesn't miss this opportunity at Tuesday's meeting.

## Letters to the Editor

Letters to the editor are welcome. Views on all matters are acceptable, following the guidelines of good taste. Letters should not exceed 350 words in length. Letters are subject to editing for style and length. Each letter must contain name, address, telephone number and signature, and preferably be typed and double spaced. Anonymous letters, or those with no phone numbers will not be accepted. Also, effective immediately, letters that have previously appeared in other publications will be given last priority.

### Lighting a controversy

Dear Editor:

As a lad growing up in Carmel I used to attend city council meetings as a project for my high school civics class.

The question of street lighting was brought up by Dorothy Chapman. Old-timers may remember her. Ms. Chapman suggested Carmel streets may be unsafe and wouldn't it be a good idea to investigate the possibility of street lights for Carmel, mind they would be in character, perhaps "ye olde lantern style."

I remember one dear old lady stood up and suggested to Ms. Chapman if she felt unsafe on the streets after dark she might invest in a good flashlight! Being a brash youth, I stood up and suggested Ms. Chapman might feel safer in Seaside or Salinas where street lights abound.

Thirty-five or more years later it appears that Paula Hazdovac (councilwoman) and Toni Jepson (Carmel Business Association executive director) believe the streets are unsafe. It is always useful when trying to sell an idea to include children or senior citizens in the package.

Thirty-five years later I offer the same advice to those who can't leave well

enough alone. Las Vegas may have a particular appeal to the two concerned ladies. In Las Vegas "accent lighting" makes a real statement; perhaps Carmel could learn to "modernize" and join the "glitzy" nineties!

Randell Kent Bishop  
Carmel

### Pro EIR for Probasco

Dear Editor:

The Carmel Planning Commission recently voted to require an environmental impact report (EIR) for the proposed Probasco development on 11th Avenue at The Mission Trail Park.

This decision is both wise and necessary in light of the severe environmental impact this project would have on the ecology and beauty of the park. Mr. Probasco, however, has appealed this decision to the Carmel City Council.

The environmental initial study (EIS) prepared by the planning commission staff for this project is woefully inadequate and does not sufficiently look at issues such as aesthetics and possible harm to numerous animal species. An

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## IN THE MONEY

Real beauty of CUSD's SCRIP program is that it works for all — but mainly for our children

By ELISA M. GRAY

THE NEED for money in our school system is constant and we have a program in place at the Carmel Unified School District that has proven — if utilized — the ability to generate funds.

Since its inception in September 1993, the SCRIP program has raised \$48,487. It is not a one-time event. Instead, it makes supporting our schools, our children, our futures a way of life. Plus, it requires no additional expenditures from the participant, thus individuals of all incomes can participate.

This is how it works: parent groups at the Carmel schools purchase gift certificates from local stores in large quantities and at a discount. Individuals then exchange their cash or checks for these gift certificates, which we call SCRIP, at face value, and use them as they would use cash. If the total amount of the gift certificate is not used, the balance will be returned in cash.

The difference between the discounted

price and face value of each certificate is then given to the schools. SCRIP users may designate a specific school or have the proceeds divided evenly.

What stores are represented in this project? A nice cross-section of grocery stores, retail stores and restaurants. As a participant, you need only shop at the stores you are currently using, and purchase only those items you already buy.

But when you first exchange your cash or check for SCRIP gift certificates your money does double duty. That's the real beauty of this project.

Participating stores are Albertson's, Safeway, Longs Drugs, Nob Hill Foods, See's Candies, Baskin-Robbins 31 Ice Cream and Chevy's Mexican Restaurant.

At Macy's Monterey and Mervyn's Department Store, SCRIP can be used as cash, or to pay credit card bills. AT&T certificates can be used at home or by businesses to pay AT&T/Pac Bell

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EIR would examine these issues and many more that are equally important.

The fact that this property lies in such an environmentally sensitive area demands special attention that the city cannot adequately give without an EIR. This project would be a massive, out-of-scale, nearly 3,000 square foot house on a very steep and heavily wooded hillside. Along the steep sides of the canyon that stretches from the top of the park (near the Forest Theater) to Rio Road, there has never been a house built on such a slope as this house would be.

Your input is vital and your support is needed to protect Mission Trail Park. Voice your opinion in support of the EIR at Tuesday's Carmel City Council meeting.

**Joseph P. Narvaez**  
Carmel

(Editor's Note: Mr. Narvaez resides in the last home on the east end of 11th Avenue, immediately adjacent to the park.)

### Constant vigilance a necessity

Dear Editor:

In a little known book about Carmel by Eunice Gray entitled *Cross Trails and Chaparral* published in 1925, the author lamented, "By far the most serious changes in the community have come through careless handling of the natural resources."

She wrote at a time when newcomers were just beginning to swell Carmel's roster of permanent residents, lured by its "enchanting combination of forest and mountains, sea and sand dunes, wide views and intimate landscapes."

Some of early Carmel's charm still exists today, but its open spaces have dwindled and most of its wildlife, including many birds, has disappeared.

Mission Trail Park, the wooded canyon that runs roughly from just opposite Carmel Mission up to Mountain View Avenue near the Forest Theater, is one of Carmel's last "enchanting...intimate landscapes," reminding us of that bygone era. And without our constant vigilance, it, too, through an incremental process that chips away at its integrity, could very well be lost through "careless handling."

The building of a house (the Probasco proposal)

inside the park gate at 11th Avenue would create a visual blight, degrade the park's natural environment and significantly diminish our enjoyment of the park, not only now but forever after.

Worse, this project could easily serve as the "domino" that clears the way for more such intrusive houses to be built adjacent to the trail, spelling the end of the fragile landscape and peacefulness the little park now affords.

There is simply no reason why we in Carmel of all places should accept such inappropriate speculative development. Ask yourself whom it would favor? You and other Carmel residents? No, rather it would be a blatant contradiction of what is promised us in the praiseworthy opening sentence of our General Plan, Carmel's "Constitution", that its "purpose...is to favor the general interest over the special interest in order to give durability to the Carmel experience and our special quality of living." An admirable and farsighted statement and one that should be adhered to!

Let's make certain that what remains of our "natural resources" is not "handled carelessly."

**Marcia Kuster Rider**  
Carmel

### Unlocking the key to kindness

Dear Editor:

Being a former resident, it doesn't take much on a balmy moonlit night such as last Thursday to beckon me to the beach.

After a short walk on Carmel Beach, a friend and I started back when I realized I didn't have my keys. After searching the logical spots, it was determined they must be on the beach. With a small flashlight in hand we set off to look. As time passed, we realized we were destined to stay the night.

Bright and early on Friday morning we set out again toward the beach to try to locate my keys. With a little faith we set off and after 45 minutes we had found only small bits of rubbish and (to the misfortune of a Volkswagen owner), a single black key.

A little disheartened we headed up the hill to determine the next course of action. (And think of a really good story for our respective supervisors back at work). As I passed a fence post, I glanced up and there they were! Not only did someone find them, they put them in a very logical location.

I must thank the kind person who had the insight to place my keys in an obvious spot. With my car recently

serviced, the key ring still had my name, car type, color and model attached. It would have been very easy for someone to steal the car.

It's nice to know that random acts of kindness are still practiced. I come "back home" to the peninsula as often as I can because it has a special place in my heart. After this, my feelings have only grown stronger.

**Trish Joselyn**  
Mountain View

P.S. I placed the Volkswagen key in place of mine in hope the circle of kindness continues.

## SCRIP program works for all who are involved

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bills.

Unfortunately, in these days of constant budget cuts and restraints, our children's schools lack not only extracurricular programs but basic supplies. Here's a look at how we've used the near \$50,000 we've brought in thus far:

■ Carmel High School: We have purchased updated encyclopedias for the library, and copies of Shakespeare and other classics for literature classes. Some of the money has gone to support music and sports programs, which are very expensive.

■ Carmel Middle School: SCRIP money has been used for lunchroom activities for the students, incentive programs and grants for the teachers.

■ Carmel River/Tularcitos/Captain Cooper: The money has been used to buy computer hardware and software programs and classroom supplies. In addition, the Aquavan program and the art docent program have been helped from SCRIP funding.

The need for money is constant, and so we ask members of the community to participate in this funding project. There is no cost to you and it is an easy way to show the children of your community that you care about them. Even if they are not your children, they are your future.

You may obtain SCRIP gift certificates from a school representative or at the Monterey County Bank on 3785 Via Nona Marie, Carmel. We would be happy to arrange for delivery, whether to your business, retirement community or club.

If you would like more information please call one of your school representatives: CHS — Ranko, 624-4177; CMS — Ellen, 624-8863; Tularcitos — Malina, 626-2882; River — Elisa, 624-0828.

Elisa Gray is a local Realtor with Century 21 Allied Associates, Inc. She is in charge of the River School SCRIP program and involved in other PTA projects. She is the mother of two boys, ages 3 and 7.



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## Women's History Month: Events kick off this week

MARCH IS Women's History Month, and as such the Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women has slated several events this month in celebration. The following are a few of the highlights.

On Friday at 7 p.m., Kate Miller and Bettina Aptheker tell stories at the Unitarian Universalist Church of the Monterey Peninsula, 490 Aguajito (off Highway 1), Monterey. Admission is free. More information may be obtained by calling 372-0593.

The Monterey County AIDS Project will host a mind/body/spirit healing workshop, "March Forth on March 4th," all day Saturday. The event features speakers on HIV and AIDS and free lunch. Admission

is free, but reservations are suggested as space is limited. Location, reservations or more information are available by phoning 394-4747.

On Wednesday at 7 p.m., Citizens Against Crime and Drugs features Leda Tully of the Monterey Rape Crisis Center as guest speaker at Oldemeyer Center, located on Hilby in Seaside. Further information may be obtained by calling 899-6270 or 394-3577.

On Friday, March 10 at 7 p.m., a "Women in History" buffet dinner will be given by the Carmel Valley Women's Network. Participants are invited to come dressed as the female historical figure they most admire. Reservations are required. More information:

659-3933 or 659-3758.

An "International Woman's Day" potluck will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday, March 11 at the Unitarian Universalist Church of the Monterey Peninsula. All planning to attend are asked to bring a dish to share. More information: 659-3758 or 649-3457.

From 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. that day, the Democratic Woman's Club hosts a women's issues brunch with Congressman Sam Farr. Location and information may be obtained by calling 373-5432.

A full schedule of Women's History Month events may be obtained by calling the Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women at 755-4478.

## Carmel resident to be honored at Native American Arts Festival

By SUSAN BECK

ART HISTORIAN Betty Hoag McClynn will be honored this weekend for her dedication to the betterment of Native American Indians, just as her mother, artist Elizabeth Lochrie, had been 64 years ago.

The San Juan American Indian Council will bestow the longtime Carmel resident with a special Native American name during a private ceremony at its seventh annual Carmel Native American Arts Festival, which begins Friday.

"A person earns a native name," said Sonny Reyna, the council's spiritual advisor and owner of



PHOTO/SUSAN BECK

Betty Hoag McClynn maintains numerous research files on California artists and Native American Indians in Montana that her mother, Elizabeth Lochrie, painted for five decades.

Reyna's Galleries and American Indian Museum in San Juan Bautista.

"We are honoring Betty and her mother because both have demonstrated a clear commitment in the cause of improving and advancing the Native American community."

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### Three-day festival kicks off Friday

THE SEVENTH annual Carmel Native American Arts Festival takes place from noon to 8 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday and 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the Carmel Woman's Club, San Carlos and Ninth in Carmel.

This year's festival honors Carmel art historian Betty McGlynn, displays paintings by her mother, Elizabeth Lochrie, and features live music, dance and native foods.

Admission is \$1, and benefits One Earth, One People Peace Vision, Inc. Children under 12 will be admitted free.

More information: 623-2108.

## Pacific Rep completes first renovation phase, set to open 'Death of a Salesman'

PACIFIC REPERTORY Theatre (PRT) re-opens the newly renovated Golden Bough Playhouse, located on Monte Verde in Carmel, with Arthur Miller's Pulitzer prize-winning play, *Death of a Salesman*, which opens with a benefit performance for the Suicide Prevention Center at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, March 10.

PRT founder and artistic director Hal Peiken (a veteran actor with The Western Stage) as Willy Loman. Appearing as Linda Loman is Santa Cruz actress and director Susan Stuart.

Stephen Moorer can breathe a little easier now that cosmetic changes — the first renovation phase — have been made. These changes included a complete redesigning of the entry and lobby areas and a "floor-to-ceiling" upgrade of the auditorium, including seats newly upholstered in plush fabric.

"I'm feeling very relieved," Moorer said. "From renovation to the production, everything's coming along pretty smoothly."

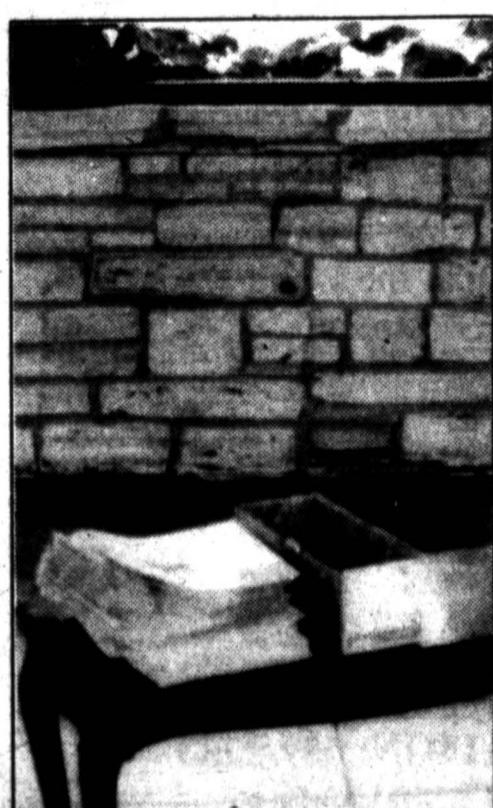
The second renovation phase, dependent upon additional funds being raised, will ultimately include the main stage facility and the more experimental Circle Theatre that is located on the playhouse's lower level.

*Death of a Salesman* will repeat at 7:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays and at 2 p.m. Sundays, this week through March 28.

The play features Hal Peiken (a veteran actor with The Western Stage) as Willy Loman. Appearing as Linda Loman is Santa Cruz actress and director Susan Stuart.

Tickets are \$12 general, \$8 students, teachers, seniors and military, and \$6 children under 12.

More information: 622-0700.



PHOTO/MY WESTON



Richard Zimmerman (left) of Grass Valley and Ian Whitcomb of Altadena are slated to perform together.



(Canada), Wooden Nickle (Sacramento), Richard Zimmerman: Ragtime (Grass Valley, CA).

Trad jazz blow-outs tend to be family style — this weekend, young folks under 12 pay nothing with an adult in tow. The basic all-events badge costs \$40, and other prices vary. Dixieland Hotline: 443-5260.

Tenor saxist Edna Lewis, just this side of 90 years young, will be honored with special gestures. The Saturday morning Jazz Parade (downtown) will feature "old cars, marching bands, riding bands, floats, flappers and fun."

There will be a Jam Cabaret (perpetual session). Fest organizers indicate that the always-moving Sunday morning Jazz Services will happen at more than

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# CALENDAR

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## THEATER

**An Enemy of the People** — Indoor Forest Theatre, Mountain View at Santa Rita, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 624-1531. Through March 25.

**Bullshot Crummond** — Big Sur River Inn, Hwy 1, Big Sur, 8 p.m., \$6/10. Phone 625-5255. Through March 17.

**Death of a Salesman Benefit Preview for Suicide Prevention Center** — Golden Bough Playhouse, Monte Verde and Eighth, Carmel, 7:30 p.m., \$6. Phone 622-0100 or 622-1700. Through March 28.

**The Nerd** — Monterey Peninsula College, Main Stage Theatre, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 8 p.m., \$12 general, \$9 seniors,

students, military, \$6 children 12 under. Phone 646-4213. Through March 18.

## MUSIC

**An Evening of Art Song for Voice and Guitar** — Carl Cherry Center for the Performing Arts, Guadalupe and Fourth, Carmel, 8 p.m., \$10. Phone 624-7491.

**Red Beans and Rice** — Doc Ricketts', 95 Prescott Ave., Cannery Row, Monterey, 9 p.m., \$5. Phone 649-4241.

**The Roger Eddy Band** — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 8:30/12:30 p.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

## ART RECEPTIONS

**John Dillon and Sonia Cook** — three spirits gallery, 620 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, 6-9 p.m. Phone 649-6233.

## LECTURES

**John Steinbeck** — "On Cannery Row" by Susan Shillinglaw, Monterey Public Library, 625 Pacific St., Monterey, 7 p.m., free. Phone 646-3930.

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**The Prince of Liars** — California's First Theatre, Pacific and Scott, Monterey, 8 p.m., \$8 general, \$7 seniors/teen, \$5 children 12 under. Phone 375-4916. Through April 1.

**The Sound of Music** — Wharf Theater, Wharf No. 1, Monterey, 8:30 p.m., \$12 adults, \$5 children. Phone 649-2333. Through April 9.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Genealogy Society Meeting** — Family History Center, Noche Buena and Plumas, Seaside, 7 p.m. Phone 484-1679.

**Photography Class** — Civic Center, 559 Pacific St., Monterey, 3:30-5 p.m., \$15 MPMA members, \$30 MPMA non-members. Phone 372-5477.

**Real Estate Sales Seminar** — Hyatt Regency Monterey, One Old Golf Course Road, Monterey, 9 a.m.-1 p.m., free. Phone 644-2200.

**Visiting Nurse Association Seminar** — Ryan Ranch, 40 Ragsdale Drive, Conference Room, Main Floor, Monterey, 10:30 a.m.-noon, free. Phone 372-6668.

625-5255. Through March 17.

**Duck Baker and Molly Andrews** — Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, 8 p.m., \$10. Phone 373-7379.

**Rhythm Bone with Hugh** — Doc Ricketts', 95 Prescott Ave., Cannery Row, Monterey, 9 p.m., \$5. Phone 649-4241.

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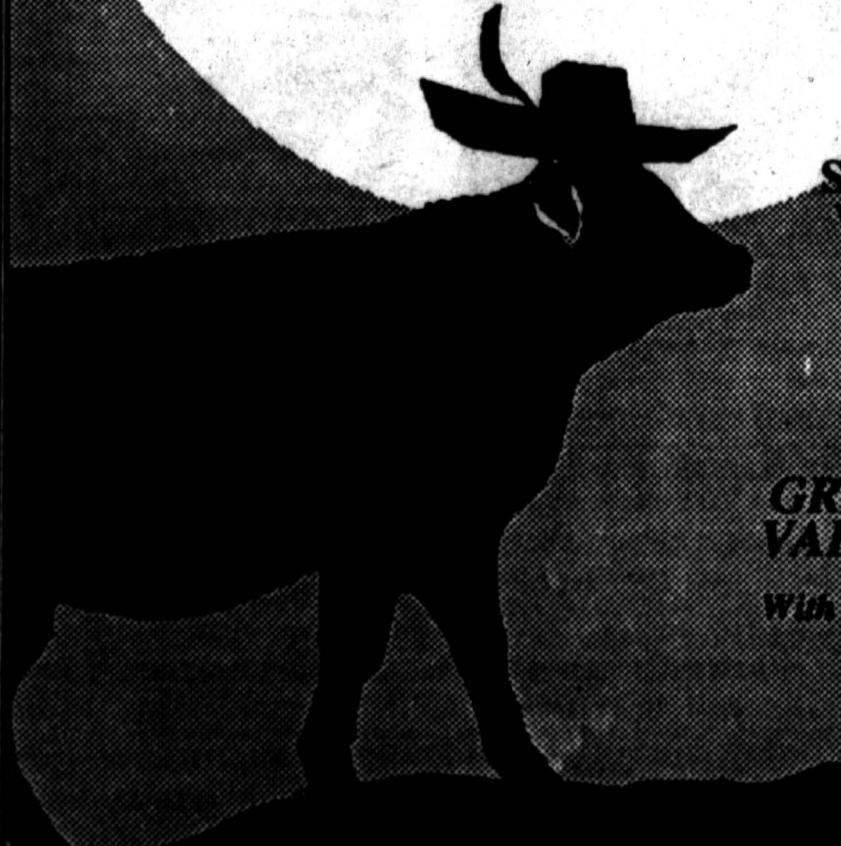
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## American Indian Traders' Guild Expo & Sale set at fairgrounds

THE AMERICAN Indian Traders' Guild Exposition and Sale, a contemporary arts and crafts show selling authentic Native American goods, begins its 11th season with an exhibition Friday through Sunday at the Monterey Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Road in Monterey.

All works were created by Native Americans of various tribes, including the Navajo, Hopi, Zuni, Inuit, Cherokee and Paiute. Traditional entertainment is offered on Saturday and Sunday afternoons, including American Indian inter-tribal dancing.

The exposition is open from 2 to 7 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Tickets are \$4.75 for adults and \$2 for children 12 and under. Paid admission is valid for free return all weekend. More information: 372-5863.

## Eat out Wednesday, support Food Bank for Monterey County

APPROXIMATELY 45 local restaurants will donate a portion of the day's income on Wednesday to the Food Bank for Monterey County.

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## 'Nerd' comes to MPC Main Stage

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Directed by Diann Matheson, *The Nerd* centers on the dilemma of a young man who feels indebted to the man who saved his life in Vietnam. However, his "savior," a hopeless nerd, comes to visit and outstays his welcome.

The cast includes Mark Shilstone-Laurent, Christopher John Anderson, Bill Lindsay, Jenna Lecce, Jerry Gill, Deirdre McCauley, Tyler Shilstone-Laurent and Brady Shilstone.

Tickets are \$12 for general admission, \$9 for seniors, students and military, and \$6 for children 12 and younger. *The Nerd* runs through March 18.

More information/reservations: 646-4213.

## Ibsen's 'Enemy of the People' opens tonight

HENRIK IBSEN'S study of pollution and ecology, *An Enemy of the People*, opens at 8 tonight at the Indoor Forest Theater in Carmel.

*An Enemy of the People* stars Robert March as Dr. Stockman.

The play will also be staged at 8 p.m. Thurs-

days through Saturdays and at 2 p.m. Sundays through March 25. Reservations/more information: 624-1531.

## 'Beaches' author to sign books

IRIS RAINER Dart, author of *Beaches*, which was made into a hit movie of the same name, will sign copies of her new book *Show Business Kills* from 1 to 3 p.m. Saturday at the Thunderbird Bookshop in The Barnyard.

*Show Business Kills* focuses on four friends who have led charmed Hollywood lives and who face middle age in a young atmosphere. Information: 624-1803.



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# Dixieland Monterey includes parade, arts fair

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one hotel ballroom location.

Tip: Enjoy singer Marsha K and bass-playing partner Norm Ross while you can. That ol' grapevine says they've landed some solid gigs in Las Vegas and will move there shortly.

After the parade, Carmel Art Guild will open its annual arts and crafts fair in Custom House Plaza. Free admission both Saturday and Sunday.

You'll find paintings, cartoon art, handmade paper, contemporary jewelry, clothing, stained glass — all showcased by the artists themselves. Parking is described as "convenient."

## What's to say?

Events. Sometimes their juxtaposition defies comment. Like now.

Art Kane was the freelance creative type who dreamed up and took that famous group photo of 58 jazz musicians — Old Masters, Young Turks, one pretender who snuck over — which Esquire magazine ran in January 1959.

Decades later, the gathering fired up Jean Bach's imagination. Her documentary film about those players and the shoot — *A Great Day in Harlem* — was edited by the brilliant Susan Pehl.

For her labors, Bach recently pulled down an Academy Award nomination. And then another wire service story said Art Kane died in an apparent suicide in Kentucky. He was 69.

## Names make news

The blues unit Red Beans and Rice will play Doc Ricketts' Lab tonight. Band member Gil Rubio notes



The Night Blooming Jazzmen are just one of the widely-known bands slated to perform at Dixieland Monterey.

that singer Big Steve left due to other commitments.

Present lineup: Gil and Sherman Lee Davis (guitars), Jason McIntosh (drums), Mike Chatfield (bass), Steve Mann (keyboards), Terrence Kelly (mouth harp and vocals).

Gil says, too, that he has changed the name of his jazz show on KAZU Public Radio (4 until 6:30 p.m. Fridays). Now it's *Retno de Alma* — rhythm of soul.

## Short takes

■ Trombone great J.J. Johnson, first adapter of that instrument to bebop's demands, will be spotlighted Monday night at Kuumba Jazz Center of Santa Cruz. With his quintet will be two other amazements — pianist Renee Rosnes and Rufus Reid on bass.

Shows at 7:30 and 9:30. It's \$15 advance (Cymbaline Records in downtown Monterey) or \$17 at the door.

On Friday night, San Francisco flugelhornist Dmitri Metheny will front his ensemble. Only \$5 per — at the door only.

■ Jazz Store co-owner Gil Wisdom says the Mark Murphy show on March 10 has sold out. That tasteful venue's next to KRML Radio in The Crossroads.

Flutist Ali Ryerson has been booked for March 15 with Charles Loos at the piano and Bryan McConnell on bass. The CD party will celebrate her first release under a contract with Concord Records. Call 624-6431.

Don't bypass Swiss alto saxist George Robert (plus

pianist Smith Dobson's trio) on March 16. Flutist Kenny Stahl comes in on March 23.

■ Nice stuff. A no-cost Jazz Showcase tonight will feature groups from Colton Middle School, King Middle School, Monterey High. Starts at 7 in Seaside's Oldemeyer Center.

■ Friends think Pete Douglas may change his mind about shutting down Bach Dancing and Dynamite Society, jazz hub in Half Moon Bay for nearly three decades. Let's give him some time; then I'll check it out.

■ Kenny Stahl and pianist Biff Smith will be at Spanish Bay Inn's lobby lounge tonight through Saturday evening. No cover, full bar, snacks, fireplace — and the gate fee will be waived if you say you're headed for the jazz.

■ Monday nights in March. That's when Monterey Brewing Co. will offer reggae via "dance hall sound system and selector supreme Papa Stretch." Papa promises special guests like Leisure Man, Mello Maxx and Poppa Robert. Cover of \$3; participants must be 21 or over.

■ Excellent jazz pianist Jimmy Vindiola may be heard on Saturday nights at Carmel Valley Ranch Resort.

■ Berkeley's Ervin Somogyi has made guitars for Bola Sete, Will Ackerman, Alex de Grassi, Michael Hedges, on and on. His wood mosaic works may be seen at Pacific Grove Art Center (PGAC) through March 24.

■ Guitarist Duck Baker and singer Molly Andrews will offer "American traditional music" at PGAC tomorrow night. It's \$10 per at the door.

Saturday night — country duo Gene Parsons and Meridian Green. Multi-instrumentalist Parsons was with The Byrds and Flying Burrito Brothers; Meridian is Bob Gibson's daughter. Also \$10.

■ Singer-songwriter Mary Borgia will start her show at 8:45 Saturday night at Tillie Cort's in Pacific Grove.

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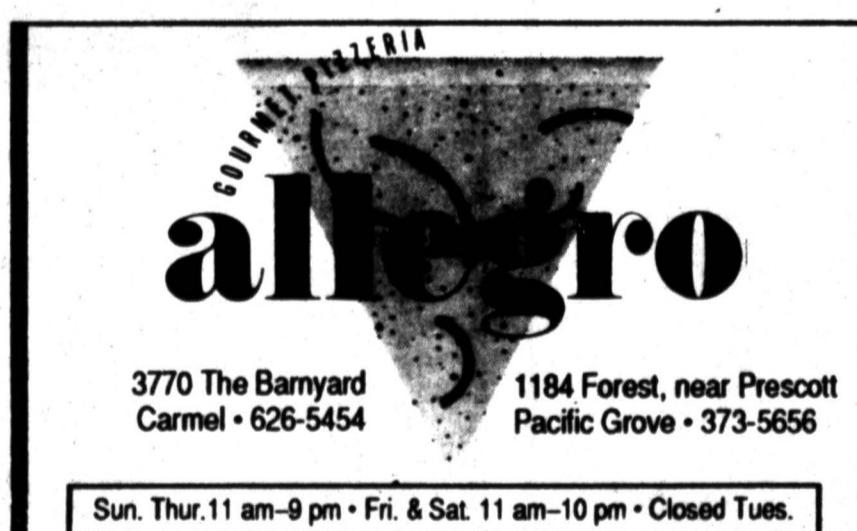
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# Kavakos thrills crowd during Carmel Music Society concert

By NATHALIE PLOTKIN  
Pine Cone Music Critic

THE VIOLIN quota of the Carmel Music Society programs for this season was splendidly filled by the gifted and exciting young Greek artist Leonidas Kavakos Tuesday night at Carmel's Sunset Cultural Center.

tremendously well qualified for that position. His technical expertise, musical sensitivity and artistic awareness, which matched these same high qualities in Kavakos' playing, were major factors in making this concert the exceptional and enjoyable event that it was.

entered, establishing a firm basis for continuity. From there on in, the playing was vigorous and lively, with both musicians obviously enjoying and empathizing with their music.

The "Andante con variazioni" was a joy to listen to as the liquid loveliness created by the violinist's tone and the pianist's finesse brought out the delicate traceries of the increasingly ornate variations. The long coda was relayed with exquisite sensitivity and spellbinding taste, ultimately creating a lofty mood.

The "Finale", a presto canonic chase, was complete with hunting horn themes and galloping rhythms. It was a joyous romp for these two technically polished players, though Nagy several times became over emphatic during his bravura passage work.

## Other pieces of note

After the intermission, the neo-classical wit of Stravinsky's *Suite Italienne* was a vibrant change of pace. Kavakos demonstrated a profound feeling for melodic lines and singing phrases. His tone color and timbre, as well as his great control of dynamics were all most impressive. This too is music for virtuosos and again all demands were met and easily surmounted.

The six sections of De Falla's *Suite Populaire Espagnole* are brief, colorful and flavorful. The smooth suavity of the violin tone of "El pano moruno," the delicate fragile softness of the cradle song "Nana" with its moorish overtones; the flute-like harmonics in the "Cancion"; and the thundering piano rhythms of the "Polo" coupled with the flamenco violin utterances, are just some of the beauties brought out in another highly praiseworthy interpretation.

Three gloriously old fashioned pyrotechnic-filled showpieces of hair-raising difficulty by Spanish violinist Sarasate (who was one of the most famous virtuosos of the late 19th century) closed the program.

The *Jota Navarra* is a work only the most accomplished violinist dares to undertake. He must traverse the entire catalogue of his instrument's capabilities. Kavakos' playing was flawless as it ranged through all the possible extravagances of virtuoso flights of fancy.

This was an evening to remember. For those who were so unfortunate as to miss the concert, it will be broadcast on KUSP at 9 a.m. Sunday, March 19.

The next Carmel Music Society event is the Piano Competition on March 25. Open auditions take place that day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and the Awards Concert at 8 p.m. is free to the public.

## Review

# 'Boys On the Side': Like a traveling episode of 'Oprah'

By CRAIG ARNOTT  
Pine Cone Film Critic

ANOTHER TALE of misfits on the road, *Boys On the Side* pretends to be different by switching the focus from men and their curious bonding rituals to women and their equally curious bonding rituals.

Even though women's perspectives have been given less treatment in film, the Hollywood tactics are still maddeningly familiar. The melodrama in *Boys* flows like a thick, ugly river, complete with tearful closeups and a wistful score full of slow piano plunking.

And any film having the Carpenter's "Close to You" as its recurring theme song should be boycotted, or at the very least picketed.

*Boys on the Side* throws all buzzword subjects into the mix. Robin (Mary-Louise Parker) is a mannered preppie who has contracted AIDS from a risky fling with a bartender. Jane (Whoopi Goldberg) is a frustrated club singer who happens to be a black lesbian. The two meet in New York, where they agree to split costs on a ride out to the fabled land of fresh starts, California.

Robin and Jane stop in Pittsburgh to see Holly (Drew Barrymore), a flirty peroxide blonde with a stupid attraction to drug-dealing, girlfriend-beating men.



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PHOTO/SUZANNE HANOVER

Whoopi Goldberg, Mary-Louise Parker and Drew Barrymore in a scene from 'Boys on the Side.'

## BOYS ON THE SIDE

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Starring: Whoopi Goldberg,  
Mary-Louise Parker, Drew Barrymore  
Director: Herbert Ross  
Rating: ★★

They encounter one of these men when they arrive at her apartment. He's slapping her and throwing her against the walls, but eventually she catches him off guard and, with help from her friends, slugs him with a baseball bat.

This scene is full of carefree mirth and one-liners, meant to establish that the women are finally free of this man and all he represents. It's a brazenly different take than the dramatic shooting of the abusive trucker in *Thelma and Louise* (1991) and the only time when the *Boys on the Side* veers into provocative and interesting territory.

Afraid yet also euphoric, the trio hit the highway

and it's like a traveling *Oprah* show: Robin unsuccessfully tries to hide her illness from Jane; Holly thinks Jane has a crush on Robin; Jane and Robin are astounded to learn that Holly's three months pregnant; Robin has melancholic visions of her brother who died of cancer at the age of five.

But in case the pressure builds too greatly, the three also find time to scarf junk food and sing along to classic rock songs as their minivan hurtles west.

The trio is eventually sidetracked in Tucson by Robin's deteriorating health. Except for Robin they manage to find menial jobs, yet they are somehow able to reside in a spacious adobe. Holly is a waitress, and Jane finds work as a musician at a lesbian club (at which the Indigo Girls perform and a poster of k.d. lang hangs on the wall, just in case the audience is unsure).

Robin's mother pops into the story long enough to say comforting things like "you just have to make do," and Holly falls for a lunk-headed policeman who loves her despite the fact that she's still eating for two.

The film's climax is as maudlin and overwrought as a Hallmark card. Suffice it to say it's a shame there isn't an Academy award for Best Supporting Wheelchair.

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Some of *Boys on the Side*'s weepy tone is partially offset by Goldberg's earthy acting and famous deadpan delivery. Parker is convincing and sympathetic as Robin, and Barrymore lives up to her role. Still, these are cardboard parts, and the actresses can do little to alter them.

Herbert Ross' direction is casual and unforced, adequate for the material but never attempting the scope that helped make *Thelma and Louise* a hit.

*Boys on the Side* may be recommended only for the easily swayed — including fans of the Carpenters.

Rating: Poor ★ Fair ★★  
Good ★★★ Excellent ★★★

THE REVIEW

# Daughter, like mother, has much to be proud of

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In 1931, Lochrie began her yearly summer treks from her home in Dear Lodge, Mont. to paint the landscapes of her native state through British Columbia in Canada and into Wyoming.

Each summer for the next five decades, the New York Pratt Art Institute graduate also painted the portraits of the Native American Indians, particularly the Blackfeet in Glacier Park, Mont.

In 1932, the Blackfeet adopted her into their tribe, giving the young artist the name of a respected woman who had died — Netchitaki — which means Lone Woman.

"My father, Arthur, was very proud of her work and often went with her," said McGlynn, who earned an undergraduate degree from Stanford University and a master's degree from the University of Southern California. "I admired her, too."

Lochrie died in 1981 at 91.

## Important relationship

In January 1953, Lochrie described the importance of her relationship with the American Indians in an article she wrote for the Montana Institute of the Arts Quarterly Bulletin:

"It is a privilege to be able to contact this fast-disappearing race, to be able to record as many of their portraits as possible and to make a serious study of their languages, religions and culture as they are found today."

In a 1964 interview by the Seattle Post-Intelligencer, Lochrie said: "The more time I spend with these lost children of nature, the more I love and admire them. I have found them ever courteous, friendly and gentle....They would rather starve than lose dignity; rather freeze than stoop to any action that would lessen their pride in themselves."

Several of Lochrie's paintings will be on display at the three-day Native American Arts Festival at the Carmel Woman's Club.

"Her significance as an artist lies in the fact that she painted and recorded during a crucial point of Indian history," said McGlynn. "It's a great contribution and the reason the Indians are so proud of her. I have tried to keep her name as alive as possible."

McGlynn has lived in Carmel since 1967 with her second husband, Tom, a retired research chemist, whose father was an early president of the Carmel Art Association.

Among her many accomplishments, McGlynn wrote a book entitled *Carmel Art Association: A History* to celebrate the organization's 60th anniversary.

"She's been an amazing resource of information and has helped us immensely in working on the history of the early members of the association," said Gail Donovan, the association's director since 1986. "I think it's wonderful that she is being honored."

For McGlynn, her most important accomplishment is the historical research she did for the Archives of American Art.

From 1950 to 1960, McGlynn taped interviews with more than 200 artists who had been active on the

Federal Arts Projects during the Depression.

The tapes, which are owned by the Smithsonian Institution and housed at the Huntington Library in Pasadena, provide the missing links in many great artists' lives, McGlynn said.

She still keeps files on California artists, for use by future generations, and also has files on the activities of many of the Blackfeet and Crow Indian families her mother painted so long ago.

Among the thousands of American Indians she painted, her daughter recalled the story behind the portrait of an old Blackfeet woman named Molly.

"My mother saw her and wanted to paint her," McGlynn said. "She had wonderful lines on her face."

Every summer for three years, Lochrie engaged her good friend George Bull Child, chief of the Piegan tribe of Blackfeet, to ask Molly if she would agree to be painted.

"Molly always said no," McGlynn remembered. "Her family had been scalped by white people. She hated them."

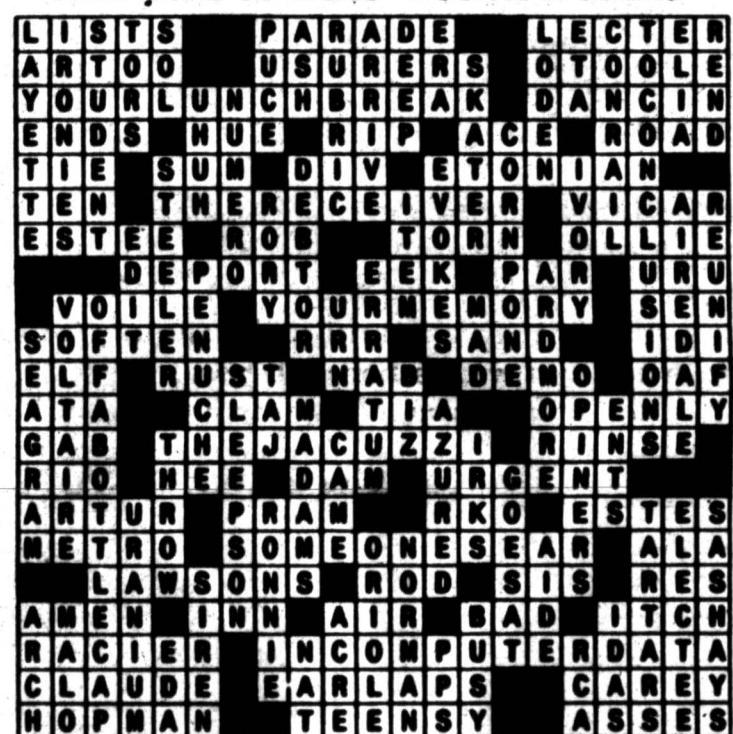
But Lochrie persisted.

"Finally, one summer, Molly looked at my mother for a very long time. Then she pointed to a huge manure pile near her teepee. She told my mother if she would climb up to the top of the heap, while she stayed down below, she could paint her.

"My mother did it. She painted Molly all day in the heat and amidst the flies. They became great friends. Mother painted the Indians for all of us to help soothe their terrible pain," McGlynn said.

As a friend of the San Juan American Indian Council, McGlynn works on the Infants to Elders project, which donates items like new toys and blankets to American Indian families living on reservations.

## Answers to Last Week's Puzzle



PHOTO/COURTESY OF BETTY HOAG MCGLYNN  
Lochrie working on a Native American portrait in 1936.

"Betty has come forth as exemplifying the dignity of all human beings and it is always a very special honor to work with her and her husband, Tom," Reyna said.

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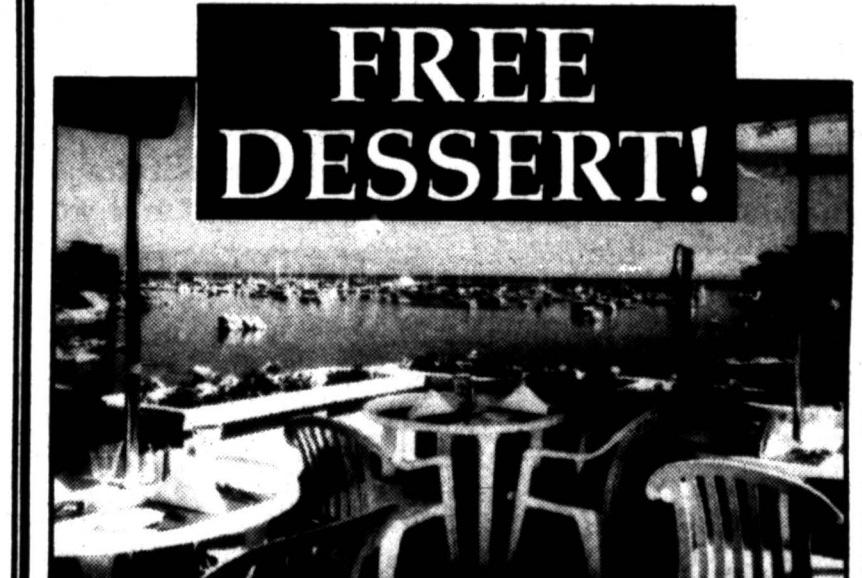
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## Social Spotlight

By DODIE BARKLEY

### Ninth annual 'Masters' lives up to its billing

"THE MASTERS" is to food and wine what Arnie Palmer and the Jack Nicklaus are to golf.

And furthermore, it knocks your socks off!

Opening night at the ninth annual Masters of Food and Wine, held Feb. 21 at the Highlands Inn, was no exception.

Gloria and Leland Dake of Pebble Beach and Marvin and Mandy Wiebe of Monterey told us they have never missed a year. I can see why. Let me describe just one concoction, which was served for "dessert" downstairs in the Surf Room...

"Tower of the Islands": A layered "stalk" of white chocolate ice cream, passion fruit, guava sorbet, ginger tuile cookies, orange compote and caramelized mangos and plantains.

This incredible delicacy was originated by one of the few female executive chefs in the country, Dawn Sieber, a very busy professional from Cheeca Lodge in Islamadora, Fla. Surrounded by pots and pans of delicious fruits, Sieber made the area smell as fresh as a produce market.

And, not to be outdone was Gérard Bechler of Patisserie Bechler in Pacific Grove. Bechler's tiny pastries were so tasty, I had to leave after imbibing three of them because, if left alone, I would have eaten all of them.

Upstairs in the Fireside Lobby were foods entitled "The Flavors of Spain." Guests were running around with plates and glasses, saying, "Oh, taste the sausages from over there," and "just wait until you get to that table."

Well, my darlings, all of them were right! Whether it was monkfish in a sauce of small crabs by Chef José Juan Castillo from Guipuzcoa, Spain, or loin of lamb with eggplant caviar by Chef Jaime Lopez of Meson Glacia in Norwalk, Conn., it was sensational. I noticed many guests waiting at the table for Highlands Inn Chef Cal Stamenov's fried pigs feet sticks with shallot vinaigrette and other food fantasies.

And, ah, the wines...the glorious whites, pinks and reds. One chardonnay in particular, from the Chappellet Vineyard in St. Helena, Calif., was amazing because one-tenth is kept in silver caskets and 90 percent in oak barrels before it is bottled.

And that is what the Masters of Food and Wine means...six days of exploring a realm of wines and cuisines from Germany, France, the United States and Spain that promised to be lively, delicious and wonderfully accessible.

From wine and food tastings to visits to vineyards and mushroom hunts, the Masters went on for one week, ending Feb. 26. Just 12 more months to wait until the next Masters!

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#### Smashing Red and White Ball at Doubletree

Ladies in all shades of red and white were beautiful. Gents in tuxedos — some with roses in their lapels and red bow ties — were beautiful, too. The occasion was the Meals on Wheels of the Monterey Peninsula's third annual Red and White Ball and Silent Auction held last Saturday at the Doubletree Hotel in Monterey.

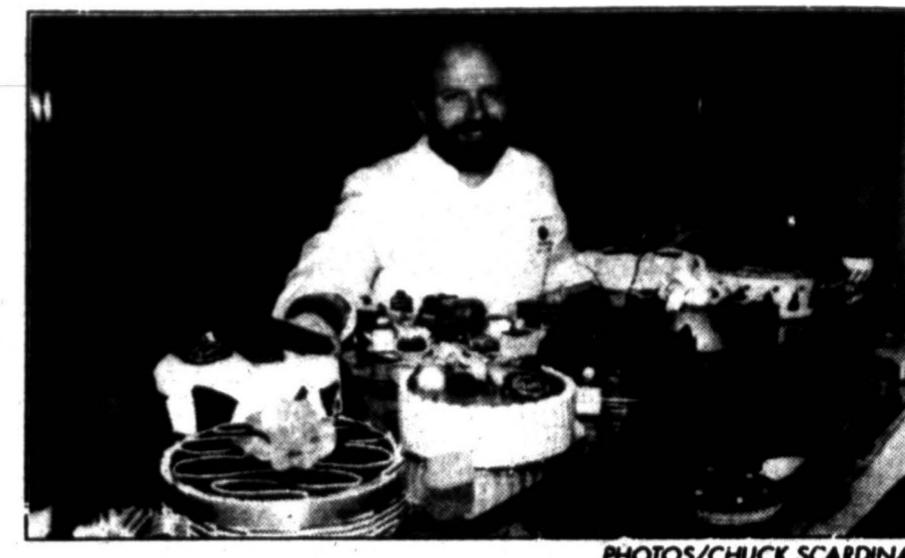
The DeAnza Ballroom was adorned in gorgeous white and red balloons, hanging from the ceiling with long silver streamers. When guests danced, the streamers above their heads made them look like they were at a New Year's party. And that was the point of all the festivity. Everyone was hyped up, hoping the party would bring in a good sum this year for their coffers.

Meals on Wheels provides home-delivered meals to more than 250 people in Pacific Grove, Monterey and Seaside. Their daily lunches for seniors at the Sally Judd Griffin Center in Pacific Grove are well known, as are their recreational services there.

Items for the silent auction included five nights in Cabo San Lucas, Easter baskets, teak furniture, green fees for two, cases of wine, free eye exams and a myriad of other wonderful items, all modestly priced, according to Meals on Wheels board members Norm Pitts,



Longtime attendees Marvin and Mandy Wiebe and Gloria and Leland Dake watch imbibers at the Masters of Food and Wine opening night gala, held Feb. 21 at the Highlands Inn.



Gérard Bechler of Patisserie Bechler in Pacific Grove stands behind his array of cakes served at the opening night of the Masters of Food and Wine, held Feb. 21 at the Highlands Inn.



Board members and decorators Pat Miniaci and Shari Farr pose together at the Meals on Wheels Red and White Ball held last Saturday at the Doubletree Hotel in Monterey.



Guests John Nunemaken and Anna and Loren Lorenzen browse over auction items at Meals on Wheels' Red and White Ball last Saturday at the Doubletree Hotel in Monterey.



Salvation Army officers Lt. Beth Moyle, Ramon Ocano, and Lt. Dina Graciani pose at the Salvation Army luncheon held Feb. 20 in Seaside. The event was held to honor peninsula media professionals.



Monterey Peninsula Salvation Army Corps board members Lee Chamberlin (left) and Pat Ramsey converse with chairwoman Gloria Mercurio (center) at the Salvation Army's media luncheon held Feb. 20 in Seaside.

#### Pat Miniaci and Al Rilling

A gorgeous poster depicting Meals on Wheels was auctioned off and brought \$80 within five minutes. That was the highlight of the evening. I found myself wishing that I could win the lottery to donate some of it to this magnificent group of people. Others were wishing the same, because just bringing a meal to a shut-in can help that person immeasurably. It's not just the meal, it's the small bit of socializing that seems to help people so much.

Guests danced into the wee hours of the evening.

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#### Salvation Army's Army

They came from all over the Monterey Peninsula for a luncheon held by the Monterey Peninsula Salvation Army Corps on Feb. 20 in Seaside.

Television crews, radio station owners, newspaper editors, publishers, writers, society editors and even photographers were present.

The luncheon was held to thank central coast media professionals for their many years of support. This year the local Army is celebrating their 100th year of service and that's only the beginning.

Heading up the luncheon was vice chairman Ron Weitzman, who introduced the advisory board. Among those mentioned were chairwoman Gloria Mercurio, secretary Lee Chamberlin, Ronald Hansen and J. Breck Tostevin. Also mentioned as the honorary

centennial cabinet were actresses Doris Day and Joan Fontaine, and notables Rear Admiral Alan Shepard, Hank Ketcham, Ed Haber, Reggie Jackson and Maggie Eastwood, to name a few. Board member Gordon Paul Smith said the people listed above jumped at the chance to serve on the Salvation Army cabinet.

Lt. Henry Graciani spoke of the Army's goals for the next 100 years. He told of a Sand City warehouse being converted into a social service center for the needy and the homeless. "What we are asking for are tools," he said. "We hope to install showers, lockers, and simple needs for everyday living."

The Corps already has a Child Development Center, and its Adult Day Care Center has about 40 people a day in for lunch and two snacks, with recreation and other programs provided. The cost is low, only \$25 a day.

Lt. Beth Moyle talked about the Basic Needs Department, which helps people with evictions, rent assistance, utility assistance and temporary housing at motels. Other services include sack lunches for transients, Christmas assistance, on-site job training, housing, budget solving and help with other problems.

Ramon Ocano gave a humorous talk about the youth music band and various field trips for area youngsters, including scouting and dancing.

But the highlight of the talks was a plea for the

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media to keep spreading the word. Mercurio said it best: "The news media and the peninsula's many volunteers are the army behind the Army."

A golf tournament fund raiser is scheduled for April 26 at the Rancho Cañada Golf Club in Carmel Valley. Call 899-4911 for more information.

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## Panhellenic luncheon at MPCC

Hearing words like Delta, Delta, Sigma Kappa and Alpha XI Delta made me wonder if I had wandered into a room filled with Greek women. But no, these were all women who were members of the Monterey Bay Area National Alumnae Panhellenic, a group of college sororities from all parts of America.

The luncheon, held last Saturday at the Monterey Peninsula Country Club in Pebble Beach, was vastly appealing. Women who had graduated from UCLA, Cornell, The University of Oregon, and many other colleges enjoyed a delightful lunch while listening to guest speaker Anne Longman.

Longman described her nine-month sojourn, teaching Koko, the nationally-famous gorilla. Remember? Koko was the gorilla who had asked for a kitten.

Longman said she and Koko made a pact, that "I would teach her words and she would teach me sign language." We all laughed at that, but when we heard a grown woman making gorilla sounds — and using sign language — our laughter grew into a deep respect for both Longman and Koko. The lecture was fascinating.

President Tootie Denahy told me that every sorority is different. "Alpha XI Deltas were the girls who wore glasses and were flat-chested," she said. "But," she quickly added, "we had a couple of homecoming queens and a few were princesses in the Rose Parade."

Denahy reminded the members of the fund raiser and fashion show coming up in April. All proceeds will go to two scholarships to college sorority women from Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz counties. This year, a donation also was made to the Monterey Magic Girls' Softball Team.

Denahy said the goals of Panhellenic are to promote inter-sorority friendships, educational projects for sorority women and to inform college women of current trends. She added that when sorority women move away, they can always find a local Panhellenic chapter where they can make new friends — a very good reason for belonging.

It was a charming luncheon, and meeting interesting and motivated women was inspiring, to say the least.

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For coverage of all social events, please call me at 626-0514, or write to me here at: The Pine Cone, P.O. Box G-1, Carmel CA 93921.



Central Coast media professionals [from left] David Wittrock, Terry Gillingham, Bonnie Gartshore and Walter Dawson partake of the Salvation Army buffet. The event was the Army's way of thanking the media for year-round publicity efforts.



Cornell alumna Shirley Loomis, San Jose State alumna Betty Reeder and UCLA alumna Mary Engholm pose together at the Panhellenic Luncheon, held last Saturday at the Monterey Peninsula Country Club in Pebble Beach.



Guest speaker Anne Longman — shown here with Panhellenic President Tootie Denahy — welcome guests who attended a luncheon last Saturday at the Monterey Peninsula Country Club in Pebble Beach.

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## CURRENT ART EXHIBITS

**Alvarado Gallery** — "Cannery Row: Reflections of the Past," historic photographs from Pat Hathaway collection, Monterey Conference Center, One Portola Plaza, Monterey. Phone 646-3770. Through March 31.

**Ansel Adams Gallery** — Ted Orland, photography, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach. Phone 375-7215. Through March 15.

**Amber Studio of Art** — John Cowan and Nicholas Cornea, acrylics/sculpture, The Mall, San Carlos between Fifth and Sixth, Carmel. Phone 624-6911. Through May 31.

**Artists' Forum Gallery** — Colin de Guere, etching and ink abstracts, 309 Forest, Pacific Grove. Phone 375-4ART. Through March 15.

**Big Horn Galleries** — "An American Marine Legacy" multi-media, 26390 Carmel Rancho Lane, Carmel Rancho. Phone 625-2288. Through March 18.

**Carl Cherry Center for the Arts** — Annual High School Art Exhibit, mixed media, Guadalupe and Fourth, Carmel. Phone 624-7491. Through March 24.

**Carmel Art Association** — George DeGroat, paintings, Dolores between Fifth and Sixth, Carmel. Phone 624-6176. Through March 31.

**Carmel Valley Manor** — Ronald E. Bean, watercolors, 8545 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley. Phone 626-4780. Through April 1.

**Center for Photographic Art** — Jack Welpott, black and white silver prints, Sunset Center, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel. Phone 625-5181. Through April 14.

**Coast Gallery** — Raphael Montoliu, paintings, Coast Gallery, 17-Mile Drive, across from The Lodge at Pebble Beach. Phone 624-2002. Through April 1.

**Fireside Lobby Gallery** — Brad Cole, photography, Highlands Inn,

Highway 1 south of Carmel. Phone 624-3801. Through April 30.

**Graphic Traffic** — John Cowan, paintings, Carmel Plaza, second level, Mission and Ocean, Carmel. Phone 624-6911. Through April 30.

**Henry Miller Library** — Bob Nash, drawings, ceramics and writings, Highway 1, Big Sur. Phone 667-2574. Through March 18.

**Maritime Museum of Monterey** — Gordon Walker, model boats and light-houses, Stanton Center, 5 Custom House Plaza, Monterey. Phone 375-2553. Through April 30.

**Monterey College of Law** — Suzanne Rumbaugh, photography, and Ken Wiese, sculpture, 404 Franklin St., Monterey. Phone 659-3933. Through April 30.

**Monterey Peninsula Airport** — "Wish You Were Here: Historic Hotels of Monterey County — 1870-1930," photography, Olmstead Road off Highway 68, Monterey. Phone 624-7910. Through June 18.

**Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art** — John Sexton, "Evolutions" and "Listen to the Trees," photography, 559 Pacific St., Monterey. Phone 372-5477. Through March 5.

**Pacific Grove Art Center** — Monterey Peninsula Art Foundation Exhibit, mixed-media, Ervin Somogyi, photography, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Phone 375-2208. Through March 25.

**Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History** — "Unsurpassed: A History of The Big Sur Land Trust," photography/writings, Central and Forest, Pacific Grove. Phone 648-3116. Through

March 12.

**Seaside City Hall Art Gallery** — Black History Month, mixed-media, 440 Harcourt Ave., Seaside. Phone 899-6270. Through March 2.

**The Vehicle Gallery** — Underwater photography, 551 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Phone 373-0448. Through March 15.

**Vest Pocket Gallery** — "In Retrospect," watercolors by John Barnes, Forest Hill Manor, 551 Gibson, Pacific Grove. Phone 657-5203. Through March 31.

**three spirits gallery** — John Dillon, acrylics, and Sonia Cook, photography, 17th between Lighthouse and Central, Pacific Grove. Phone 649-6233. Through March 31.

**Thunderbird Bookstore** — Robert R. Hewitt, acrylics, The Barnyard, Carmel Rancho. Phone 373-2549. Through March 27.

**Trailside Americana Fine Art Galleries** — "Lasting Impressions," Lincoln and Sixth, Carmel. Phone 624-5071. Through March 10.

**Venture Art Gallery** — March Harmonies, Doubletree Hotel, Two Portola Plaza, Monterey. Phone 372-6279. Through March 31.

**Vest Pocket Gallery** — John Barnes, watercolors, Forest Hill Manor, 551 Gibson St., Pacific Grove. Phone 657-5203. Through March 31.

**Weston Gallery** — Selections from Karsh portfolio; 19th Century Master Works; new works by Chuck Henningson, Sixth between Dolores and Lincoln, Carmel. Phone 624-4453. Through March 15.

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# Art NEWS

## Trailside opens show of works by American impressionists



'Home Place' 36x48 by Robert Moore.

**AN EXHIBIT** of paintings by eight American impressionists will be highlighted by a reception from 5 to 7 p.m. Saturday at Trailside Americana Fine Art Galleries, located at Lincoln and Sixth in Carmel.

The landscape, still life and figural paintings of Ovanes Berberian, Dawn Goodall, Robert Hagan, William Hook, Dan McCaw, Robert Moore, James Poulsom and Curt Walters are featured.

These artists' methods of artistic expression were fused early in their lives at such varied locales as Russia, the British Isles, Australia, Montana, Idaho, New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado. Life experiences have eventually led all of the artists to the American West and Southwest, where the beauty of the country offers them inspiration.

The show will be on view through March 12. More information: 624-5071.



'Carmel Mission' 24x30 acrylic by William Hook.

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## Cherry announces annual high school art exhibit

**■ The Cultural Council for Monterey County's student sculpture competition winners are also in the exhibit.**

YOUNG ARTISTS will have the spotlight Saturday as the Carl Cherry Center for the Arts opens its eighth annual high school art exhibit, *Thinking Out Loud*.

The show, which opens with a public reception for the artists from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, includes artwork in all media from high schools throughout Monterey County.

Also included is work by winners of the Cultural Council for Monterey County's (CCMC) annual county-wide high school sculpture competition. A reception for the winners takes place at 5 p.m. Friday at the center.

Information about next year's CCMC competition may be obtained by calling 484-9343.

The center is located at the corners of



open from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. The exhibit can be seen through March 24.

More information: 624-7491.

## National Geographic photographer speaks Tuesday

PHOTOGRAPHER FRANS Lanting will give a lecture and presentation at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Performing Arts Center of Santa Catalina School.

Frequently commissioned by *National Geographic*, Lanting is also the recipi-

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## ART RECEPTIONS

Jack Welpott — Center for Photographic Art, Sunset Center, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, 6:30-8 p.m. Phone 625-5181.

**Student Sculpture Winners** — Carl Cherry Foundation, Guadalupe and Fourth, Carmel, 5 p.m. Phone 622-9060.

## LECTURES

**Gray Whales** — "The Whales are Returning" by Alan Baldridge, Pacific Grove Community Center, 515 Junipero Ave., Pacific Grove, 11:30 a.m., free. Phone 646-4636.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**American Indian Arts and Crafts Show** — Monterey Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Road, Monterey, 2-7 p.m., \$4.75 adults, \$2 children 12 under. Phone 372-5863.

**Synchronicity and Holographic Universe Discussion** — C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7 p.m., donation. Phone 649-4018.

Saturday/4

## THEATER

**American Jubilee** — Robert Louis Stevenson Lower and Middle School, 24800 Dolores, 7 p.m., \$8 adults, \$4 children under 12. Phone 626-5200.

**An Enemy of the People** — Indoor Forest Theatre, Mountain View at Santa Rita, Carmel, 8 p.m. Phone 624-1531. Through March 25.

**Death of a Salesman** — Golden Bough Playhouse, Monte Verde and Eighth, Carmel, 7:30 p.m., \$12 general, \$8 students, seniors, military, \$6 children under 12. Phone 622-0100 or 622-1700. Through March 28.

**The Nerd** — Monterey Peninsula Col-

lege, Main Stage Theatre, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 8 p.m., \$12 general, \$9 seniors, students, military, \$6 children under 12. Phone 646-4213. Through March 18.

**The Prince of Liars** — California's First Theatre, Pacific and Scott, Monterey, 8 p.m., \$8 general, \$7 seniors/teen, \$5 children 12 under. Phone 375-4916. Through April 1.

**The Sound of Music** — Wharf Theater, Wharf No. 1, Monterey, 8:30 p.m., \$12 adults, \$5 children. Phone 649-2333. Through April 9.

## MUSIC

**Chi Misu** — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 9/1:00 p.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

**Don Haynie & Sheryl Samuel** — Morgan's Coffee and Tea, Washington and Pearl, Monterey, 8 p.m. Phone 373-5601.

**Gene Parsons and Meridian Green** — Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, 8 p.m., \$10. Phone 373-7379.

**Rhythm Bone with Hugh** — Doc Ricketts', 95 Prescott Ave., Cannery Row, Monterey, 9 p.m., \$5. Phone 649-4241.

## ART RECEPTIONS

**Art, Craft and All That Dixieland Jazz Festival** — Custom House Plaza, Fisherman's Wharf, Monterey, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Phone 625-0931.

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**Frog Pond Nature Walk** — Easy, 9 a.m., Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District. Phone 659-6062.

**Lawyers on the Line Discuss Estate Planning and Taxes** — KSCO AM 1080, 5-

6 p.m. Phone 377-3739.

**Marina Rotary's Annual Duck Days** — Locke Paddon Wetlands, Reservation Road, Marina, breakfast 9 to 11 a.m., event all day, \$25 per family. Phone 384-0155 or 384-3361.

**Photography Workshop with Jack Welpott** — Center for Photographic Art, Sunset Center, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, 10 a.m.-4:30 p.m., \$40. Phone 625-5181.

**Poetry Reading by Galway Kinnell** — Sunset Center, Carpenter Hall, Mission and Ninth, Carmel, 8 p.m., \$10. Phone 624-1813.

**Women and Violence Workshop** — Monterey Peninsula College, Music Auditorium, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m., \$10/40. Phone 649-0834.

Sunday/5

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**Monterey County Symphony with youth Honors Orchestra of Monterey County** — Performing Arts Center, Santa Catalina School, Mark Thomas Drive, Monterey, 2 p.m., free. Phone 624-8511.

## LECTURES

**Relationships** — "Relationships: Conflict, Fusion or Dialogue" by Dr. Madge Holmes, St. Philip's Lutheran Church, 8065 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley, 7 p.m., free. Phone 624-6765.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**American Indian Arts and Crafts Show** — Monterey Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Road, Monterey, 11 a.m.-5 p.m., \$4.75 adults, \$2 children 12 under. Phone 372-5863.

**Carmel Unified School District Spaghetti Feed** — Carmel Valley Community Youth Center, 25 Ford Road, Carmel Valley Village, 5:30-7:30 p.m., \$6 adults, children 5 under free. Phone 625-2668.

**Children's Experimental Theatre Late Afternoon Supper and Theatrical Demonstration** — Indoor Forest Theatre, Santa Rita and Mountain View, Carmel, 5:30 p.m. Phone 624-1531.

Monday/6

## ART RECEPTIONS

**John Barnes** — Forest Hill Manor, Vest Pocket Gallery, 551 Gibson St., Pacific Grove, 6:30 p.m. Phone 657-5203.

## LECTURES

**Inner Artists** — "Inner Critic Controls Inner Artist" by Bonnie Parke, Thunderbird Bookstore, Whole Life Center, The Barnyard, Carmel Rancho, 7 p.m., \$5. Phone 624-1803.

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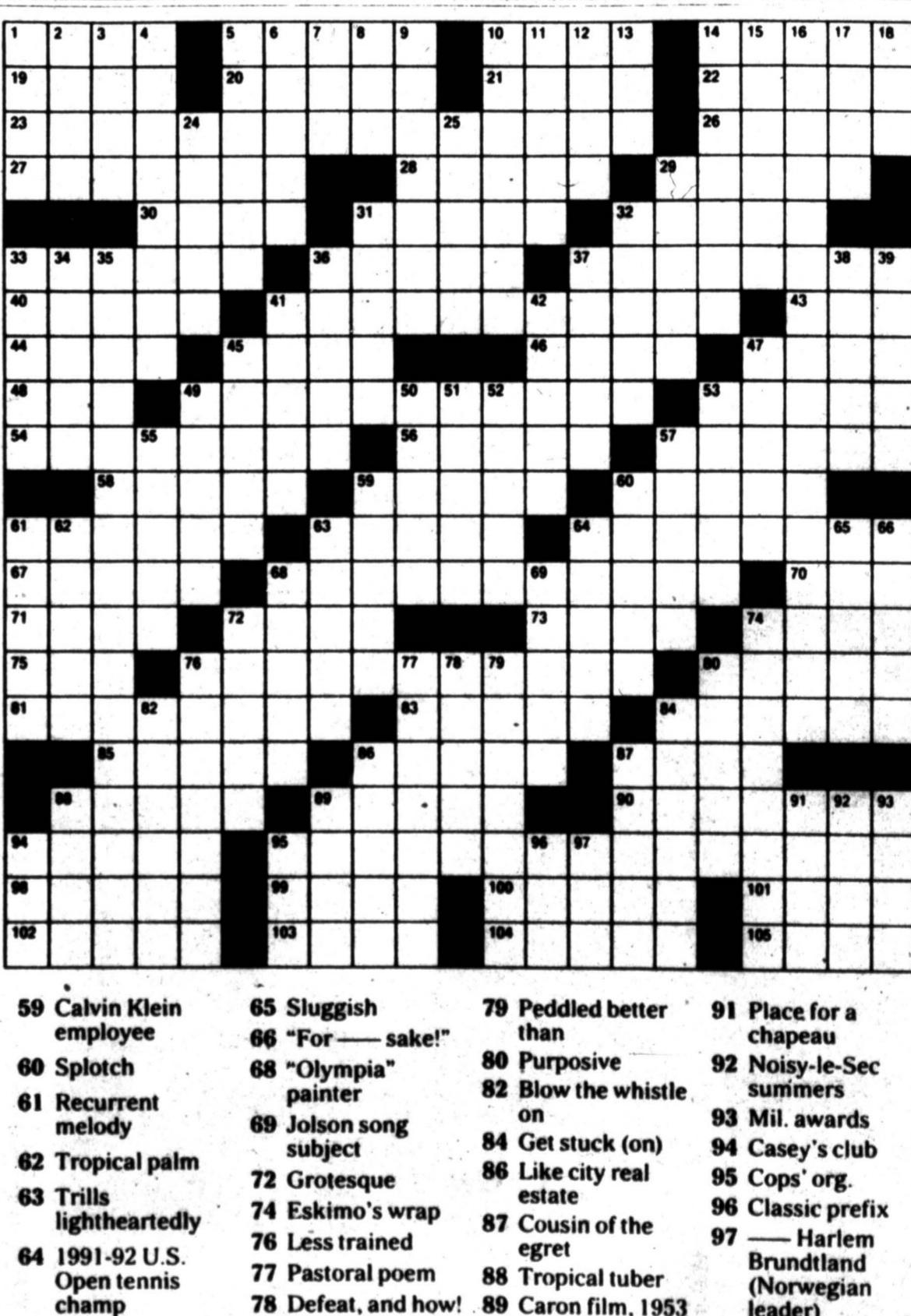
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BY FRANCES HANSEN / EDITED BY WILL SHORTZ

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## California Trends

By BRADLEY INMAN

### Number cruncher: Brisk market is in 'whiplash'

**STOCKS AND BONDS** are up and so are luxury homes.

Interest rates are rising and entry-level housing prices are soft.

The economy is improving and so goes the move-up housing market.

Sound right?

California's leading real estate number cruncher, John Karevoll, thinks so.

Karevoll spits out home prices and sales numbers every way you can imagine: up or down, big or little, mansions or condos and Hispanic or Asian surnames.

From a mountain top in Running Springs, Calif. 70 miles east of Los Angeles, he uses one of his four 486 personal computers to massage, analyze and interpret as many as one million real estate transactions a year. The numbers are generated by Dataquick Information Systems, which takes them from public tax roll records and the county recorder statistics. The La Jolla-based firm pays Karevoll to shake the numbers.

Karevoll's work analyzing statistics helps Dataquick peddle complicated market reports to big real estate

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### Home warranties help buyers and sellers

■ Although not a 'catch-all tool,' they do help all parties involved.

**HOME SELLERS** and Realtors have a duty to disclose to potential home buyers known problems associated with a home.

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In some cases, the buyer may feel that the seller and Realtors should be liable for the expense of repair or replacement.

Among the various ways in which buyers, sellers and Realtors respond to this concern is through the purchase of a home warranty—a one-year service



## Get Real

By STEPHEN POOHAR

contract that covers the repair or replacement of major home systems and appliances that may break down due to normal wear and tear.

Home warranties are not, however, a catch-all tool to cover problems existing prior to the time a warranty is placed on a home. Potential buyers should know that every home warranty plan is unique in scope and

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### Market update: Activity still slow on peninsula

By STEPHEN POOHAR

Market activity in Carmel, Carmel Valley, Pebble Beach, Monterey and Pacific Grove, taken as a whole, struggled to keep pace with the significantly improved levels of last year as measured by closed sales after weaker sales in the last half of 1994.

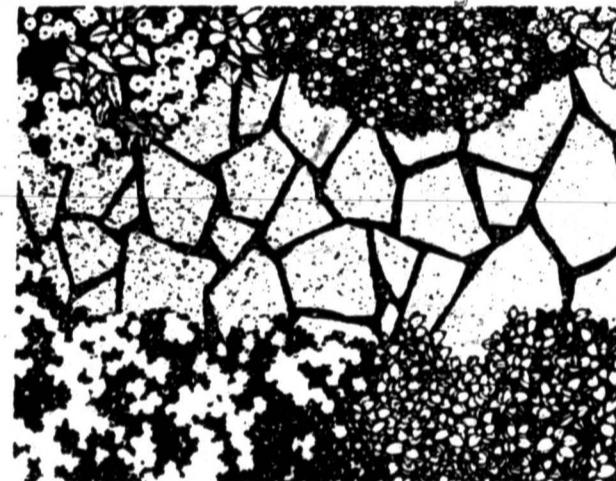
The same level of transaction activity seen in the second half of 1994 continued into the beginning of 1995, resulting in January closings which were only 6% lower than December 1994, but which were 32% lower than January 1994, as compared to 30% to 95% higher over comparable periods early in 1994.

The median price in both Carmel Valley and Pebble Beach has increased 13%, in Pacific Grove 4%, and in both Carmel and Monterey 2% since the beginning of

1994. Higher median prices in the areas indicated are, in most cases, based on a relatively small number of sales, a situation in which only one more sale above or below the previous median price can change the median price significantly.

While the rise in interest rates that began in early February 1994 has somewhat negatively affected the affordability of homes, buyers have predictably switched to lower-rate adjustable rate loans. The holiday period beginning with Thanksgiving and extending through 26 rain-soaked days in January did little to foster sales activity.

Discussions with many Realtors, escrow officers and lenders in our area reveal that this slowing trend has continued into February despite attractive home prices which they could have only dreamed about just a few short years ago.



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## Warranties help both buyers and sellers

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should inquire in detail about the warranty's coverage.

Selecting a reputable warranty company is crucial to ensuring good service. Many Realtors can recommend companies based upon a proven track record and financial stability.

Buyers who have a company in mind should ask their Realtor for the names of other companies to compare various plans.

Realtors will use their professional networks to check references of industry-related companies with other Realtors who have had experience with these companies. A Realtor also can help you determine whether the company is a member of a professional association which monitors business practices.

Consumer service and protection is an important part of all real estate transactions.

Realtors strive to provide the best possible service, keeping the customer's best interests in mind. As service continues to be the key to successful business practices, buyers, sellers and Realtors now consider home warranties part of that service.

*Stephen Poohar is a business attorney and the owner/broker of Stephen Poohar & Associates\* Realtors in Carmel. Poohar is the immediate past president of the Carmel Association of Realtors. His column appears monthly in The Carmel Pine Cone. He can be reached at 624-4800.*

## Realtors' course set for March 16-17

A COMPREHENSIVE course covering business development for the residential specialist will be offered by the Carmel Association of Realtors Thursday, March 16 and Friday, March 17 at The Lodge at Pebble Beach.

Advanced prospecting and marketing techniques are covered in the course, which offers 16 hours of continuing education credits and applies toward the Certified Residential Specialist designation.

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## HOUSE OF THE WEEK



This Pebble Beach home will be the site of an open house Sunday.

## True opulence — with view of Lone Cypress

**THIS BRAND-NEW** three bedroom, three and one-half bathroom estate home is situated on an exquisite 1.3-acre site overlooking Pebble Beach's Lone Cypress.

Gated and walled for privacy, this home has been designed with the most discriminating buyers in mind.

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This Sunday, you'll get a chance to see it for yourself as an open house is scheduled from 1 to 4 p.m.

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■ Address: 3225 17-Mile Dr., Pebble Beach.

■ Contact: Coldwell Banker/Fox & Carskadon, 625-3300.

## From mountain top, numbers are his game

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firms, investment bankers, lenders and title companies.

"Right now people are hungry for information because everyone is looking for the bottom of the California housing market," he said.

There are other reasons.

In 1992, Karevoll released a figure showing that 12 percent of all California home buyers paid cash. Soon after, he got a call from the U.S. Drug Enforcement Agency wanting to know if he could print out the names and addresses of those buyers. Nothing ever came of the request.

"There's always someone who wants a number," says Karevoll.

This month, he is combining over year-end 1994 numbers.

"Whiplash" or like a "boomerang," is how he describes the current market.

Move-up home buyers, who dropped out of site in the early 1990s, are coming back into the market. According to Karevoll, the median price of homes ranging in size from 3,200 to 3,600 square feet, the typical large move-up house, dropped 20 percent from the last quarter of 1989 to the first quarter of 1994. But since that time, prices in this size range have not only bottomed

out but have climbed 10 percent in the last 9 months.

Karevoll looks at these numbers and sees more than just a trend of big houses holding their value. "This shows that discretionary spending is back in the market—an extra bedroom with brass-

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## LIKE NEW CARMEL CONDO

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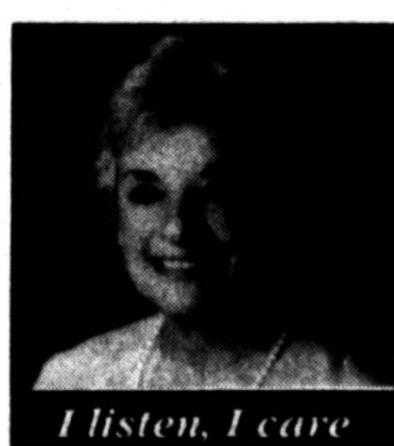
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## WARM TRADITIONS

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SPOIL YOURSELF - Warm traditions are reflected in this well maintained custom 3BD/2BA home. Situated in a picturesque setting, the pride of ownership is evident throughout. Open beamed ceiling in living room overlooks natural landscaping. Lots of windows and neutral color scheme adds to an overall feeling of space and light. Separate dining room, wet bar in family room and decks off the kitchen and dining room. Discover it today! 625-3300

## NESTLED IN THE TREES

\$373,950

DRENCHED IN LIGHT - This 1 level 3BD/2.5BA home in great area of Pebble Beach lets the indoors in with vaulted ceilings and skylights in living room. Hardwood floors in entry and dining room. Wet bar cozy fireplace in living room. Tile counters and garden window in kitchen. Wonderful deck off living room that looks out onto private fenced back yard. 625-3300

## SEA FOREVER

\$549,000

ELEGANCE AND COMFORT - Enjoy fabulous ocean views and sunsets from this 4BD/3BA, two story home. Numerous upgrades include newly stuccoed and painted exterior, new kitchen with sub-zero refrigerator and Wolfe range, new tubs and tile in all baths, new redwood deck, refinished hardwood floors as well as a wet bar and marble fireplace in the family room. 625-3300

## SPACIOUS &amp; DELIGHTFUL

\$659,000

COMPARE THIS PRICE FOR THE VALUE - This very comfortable, private 5BD/3BA home with filtered views of Monterey is perfect for those who love space and light. Spacious living room, dining room and family room are perfect for family gatherings. Warm family kitchen includes breakfast nook with walk-in pantry. Deck, security system. 625-3300

## AFFORDABLE APPEAL

\$324,000

CONTEMPORARY & PRIVATE - Nestled in the PB woods, this 3BD/2BA home features an open, airy floor plan with high beamed ceilings and large dining area with forest views. Both the kitchen and dining area share a deck for outdoor entertaining, as well as a private patio in front. This one is an easy keeper with natural landscaping, located in an area of larger custom homes. 648-3000

## PEBBLE BEACH VALUE

\$495,000

BACK ON MARKET! - This well maintained 6 yr. old 3BD/3BA home is in a great location on quiet street, surrounded by new homes. Special details include built-in sub-zero refrigerator, 2 stone fireplaces, skylights, formal living and dining room with family room off kitchen. Completely fenced and landscaped. 625-3300

## GOLFER'S RETREAT

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THIS ONE HAS IT ALL - Warm, contemporary 3BD/2.5BA home with convenient location to HWY 1 and 4 golf courses. Master suite with walk-in closet on 3rd level offers views and privacy. Kitchen features Corian counters, new sink, walk-in pantry. Living and dining rooms open to deck with ocean view. Storage, wine cellar, workshop, dark room. 625-3300

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EXPAND YOUR DREAMS - This warm and inviting 2BD/2BA home is situated on one level acre across from Poppy Hills Golf Course in sunny area of larger million dollar estate homes. The property is completely fenced, gated and beautifully landscaped, with lots of room for expansion. 625-3300

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■ CARMEL VALLEY ■

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## California Trends...

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price of homes ranging from 1,050 square feet to 1,300 square feet weathered well during the recession,

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climbing nearly 30 percent from 1988 up to 1993. But since then values have slipped approximately 10 percent for homes in this size range.

Karevoll says that "first-timers are the most interest-rate sensitive buyers, so activity here closely follows where interest rates go." When rates began to climb in late 1993, more and more first-time buyers fell out of the market.

Once in the tank, luxury housing sales are up 55 percent. Sales of million-dollar homes, according to Karevoll, made a strong comeback last year. In 1994, 1,821 buyers paid more than \$1 million for a new or used home, compared to 1,177 sales in 1993.

Unlike real estate industry groups that often put the most upbeat spin on their sales and price numbers, Karevoll lets the figures speak for themselves.

He disclosed last year that nine of the top 10 surnames of home buyers in Los Angeles County were Hispanic, showing the importance this ethnic group was playing in the California real estate market.

"There is more to real estate numbers than interest rates and home prices," said Karevoll.

*Bradley Inman is an Oakland-based syndicated columnist who specializes in housing, growth, public policy, urban affairs and real estate reporting.*

## OPEN HOUSES THIS WEEKEND

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24390 SAN MARCUS \$356,000  
Sat/Sun 10-1 Mitchell Group  
CASANOVA/PALOU \$399,000  
Sun 1-3 Del Monte Realty  
3013 LASUEN DRIVE \$495,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
CAMINO REAL/8TH \$524,950  
Sat/Sun 1-4 Del Monte Realty  
MISSION/10TH \$679,000  
Sun 2-5 Re/Max  
3495 EDGEFIELD PLACE  
\$750,000  
Sun 1-3 Del Monte Realty  
CASANOVA/8TH \$779,000  
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Sun 1:30-4 Coldwell/Fox  
7TH/SAN ANTONIO \$1,550,000  
Sat 11-4 Coldwell/Fox  
SAN ANTONIO/OCEAN  
\$1,595,000  
Sat 12-1:30 Del Monte Realty  
26363 SCENIC ROAD \$1,998,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty

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143 SAN REMO \$689,000  
Sat 2-4 Coldwell/Fox  
135 CYPRESS WAY \$875,000  
Sun 1-4 Mitchell group  
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Sat 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
5 YANKEE BEACH WAY  
\$1,295,000  
Sun 1-4 Coldwell/Fox

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145 HACIENDA \$155,000  
Sun 2:30-4 Coldwell/Fox  
184 HACIENDA \$155,000  
Sun 1-2:30 Coldwell/Fox  
11525 RANCHO FIESTA \$306,000  
Sun 1-4 Del Monte Realty  
164 EL ECHO \$327,500  
Sun 1-4 Mitchell Group  
346 RIDGE WAY \$389,000  
Sat/Sun 1-4 Mitchell Group  
59 SOUTHBANK RD \$395,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
27590 VIA SERENO \$440,000  
Sun 1-4 Coldwell/Fox  
9523 BAY COURT \$535,000  
Sun 1-4 Coldwell/Fox  
9546 MAPLE COURT \$548,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
24700 OUTLOOK DR \$570,000  
Sat 1:30-4 Coldwell/Fox  
25891 ELINORE PLACE \$625,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
25010 OUTLOOK DRIVE \$625,000  
Sun 1-4 Del Monte Realty  
10088 OAK BRANCH CIRCLE  
\$647,000  
Sun 11-1 Del Monte Realty  
80 VIA MILPITAS \$729,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
931-A CARMEL VALLEY RD  
\$795,000  
Sat 1-4 Del Monte Realty

### Mt. / SALINAS HWY.

25080 BARONET \$314,000  
Sat 2-4 Coldwell/Fox

### MONTEREY

15 VIA CASTANADA \$259,000  
Sun 12-2 Del Monte Realty  
701 ARCHER ST \$349,000  
Sat/Sun 12-4 Coldwell/Fox  
39 VIA CASTANADA \$369,000  
Sun 2-4 Coldwell/Fox  
21 WYNDEMERE RISE \$485,000  
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Sun 2-4 Coldwell/Fox  
219 BENTLEY STREET \$279,500  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
848 SINEX AVE \$289,000  
Sun 1-4 Del Monte Realty  
879 MARINO PINES \$310,000  
Sun 1-4 Coldwell/Fox  
931 PETRA LANE \$415,000  
Sun 1:30-4 Coldwell/Fox  
1135 SURF AVE \$419,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
902 DEL MONTE BLVD \$995,000  
Sun 11-1 Del Monte Realty  
849 OCEAN VIEW BLVD  
\$1,050,000  
Sat/Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty

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72 SANDPIPER \$324,000  
Sat 2-4 Coldwell/Fox  
2912 CONGRESS RD \$399,000  
Sun 1-4 coldwell/Fox  
4045 MORA LANE \$539,000  
Sun 2-4 Mitchell Group  
3080 LARKIN ROAD \$449,000  
Sat 2-4/Sun 2:30-4:30 Del Monte  
Realty  
4036 EL BOSQUE DR \$495,000  
Sat 1-4 Coldwell/Fox  
4001 COSTADO ROAD \$549,000  
Sun 1-4 Coldwell/Fox  
951 CORAL DRIVE \$599,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
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\$795,000  
Sun 11-1 Coldwell/Fox  
2942 BIRDROCK \$895,000  
Sun 2-4 Coldwell/Fox  
4075 COSTANILLA WAY \$895,000  
Sun 2-4 Del Monte Realty  
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Sat 11-2/Sun 10-1 Coldwell/Fox  
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Sat/Sun 1-4 Del Monte Realty  
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Sun 12-2 Del Monte Realty  
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**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST**  
Lease No. 4487501/COUTURE  
T.S. No. CCM026486

A.P. No. 187-181-13 & 187-181-33

This notice is hereby given that Standard Trust Deed Service Company as trustee, or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by JACQUES COUTURE AND KATHERINE COUTURE, HUSBAND AND WIFE. Recorded on SEPTEMBER 20, 1988 as instrument # 49107 in book 2276 on page 757 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of MONTEREY County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded on JANUARY 11, 1993 as instrument # 01937 in book 2865 on page 1219 of said Official Records, will sell on 03/21/95 at 2:00 P.M. AT THE CHURCH STREET ENTRANCE TO THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 240 CHURCH STREET, SALINAS, CA at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title, and interest, conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State and described as follows:

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(PC213)

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## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950192

The following person is doing business as KCBA-TV, 1550 Moffett Street, Salinas, Ca. 93905.

Ackley Communications Group, Inc., a Washington corporation, 801 Fifth Avenue, Suite 3770, Seattle, WA 98104.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/9/95.

(s) William N. Ackley, Pres.

Publication dates: Feb. 9, 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1995.

(PC209)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950218

The following person is doing business as SUR LIFE, Lucia Ranch, Big Sur, Ca. 93920.

Bill Raebe, Lucia Ranch, Big Sur, Ca. 93920.

This business is conducted by an individual.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/1/95.

(s) Bill Raebe

Publication dates: Feb. 9, 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1995.

(PC208)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950229

The following persons are doing business as AMPHORAE, 338 B. Gideon Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

Patrick Edward Chaffeur, 338 B. Gideon Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 1, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1995.

(s) Patrick Chaffeur

Publication dates: Feb. 16, 23, March 2, 9, 1995.

(PC211)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950333

The following persons are doing business as TEXTILE PHILOSOPHY, 24694 Pescadero Rd., Carmel, CA 93923.

Reed J. Scott, 24694 Pescadero Carmel, Ca. 93923.

Gregg W. Scott, 3730 Westland Ct. SE, Port Orchard Wa. 98366.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 21, 1995.

(s) Reed J. Scott

Publication dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 1995.

(PC301)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO SELL ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

To Whom It May Concern: LEFT BANK CAFE II, INC., is applying to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to sell alcoholic beverages at W/S Lincoln Street between Ocean & Seventh Street, Carmel, CA 93921 with an On Sale Beer & Wine Eating Place license.

Publication dates: Feb. 23, March 2, 9, 1995.

(PC219)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950310

The following person is doing business as SEQUOIA GARDEN SERVICE, 3rd NE of Vista on San Carlos, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

Cynthia Koehne Wetmore, 3rd NE Pt. Vista on San Carlos, Carmel, Ca. 93921. P.O. Box 223415, Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business is conducted by an individual.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 15, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/15/95.

(s) Cynthia Wetmore

Publication dates: Feb. 23, March 2, 9, 16, 1995.

(PC212)

## STATEMENT OF ABANDONMENT OF USE OF FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME

File No. F93023

The following person have abandoned the use of the fictitious business name, SUNSET FLOORS at 2055 Sunset Dr., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This fictitious business name referred to above was filed in Monterey County on 8/8/93.

Key H. Ratkovich, 2058 Sunset Dr., Pacific Grove, CA. 93950. As of 3/1/95: 230 Oxford St., San Francisco, CA 94134.

This business was conducted by Key H. Ratkovich.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 22, 1995.

(s) Key H. Ratkovich

Publication dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 1995.

(PC302)

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE UNDER DEED OF TRUST

T.F. NO. 139137

A.P. NUMBER: 009-041-47

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED MAY 15, 1991. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

Notice is hereby given that Serrano Reconveyance Company, as trustee or successor trustee, or substituted trustee pursuant to the Deed of Trust executed by Steven R. Marx and Andrea Marx, husband and wife Recorded 05/31/1991 in Book 2649 Page 1165 as Inst.# 31071 of Official Records in the office of the County Recorder of Monterey County, California, and pursuant to the Notice of Default and Election to Sell thereunder recorded 11/03/1994 in Book 3168 Page 760 as Inst.# 74990 of said Official Records, will sell on 03/13/1995 at 1:45 PM at the Entrance steps (facing gabilan St.) to the County Courthouse, 240 Church Street, Salinas, Ca at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash (payable at the time of sale in lawful money of the United States), all right, title, and interest, conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County and State and described as follows: as more fully described on said Deed of Trust.

The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 24453 San Mateo Avenue, Carmel, Ca 93923. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. The total amount of the unpaid principal balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and reasonable estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale is \$389,849.43. In addition to cash, the Trustee will accept a cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings association or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state. At the main (South) entrance to the County Courthouse, (facing the courtyard off Church St.), 240 Church Street, Salinas, CA all right, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed of Trust in the property situated in said County, California describing the land therein. As more fully described in the Deed of Trust.

The property heretofore described is being sold "as is". The street address and other common designation, if any, of the real property described above is purported to be: 1460 Viscaino Road, Pacific Beach, CA 93953. The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address and other common designation, if any, shown herein. Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to satisfy the indebtedness secured by said Deed of Trust, advances therunder, with interest as provided therein, and the unpaid principal of the Note secured by said Deed of Trust and interest thereon as provided in said Note, fees, charges and expenses of the trustee and of the trusts created by said Deed of Trust, to-wit \$687,742.69. Estimated Accrued interest and additional advances, if any, will increase this figure prior to sale.

The beneficiary under said Deed of Trust heretofore executed and delivered to the undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale, and a written Notice of Default and Election to Sell. The undersigned caused said Notice of Default and Election to Sell to be recorded in the county where the real property is located and more than three months have elapsed since such recording.

MARIN CONVEYANCING CORPORATION, as Trustee, ATTN: Roberta Thomas, 1160 N. Dutton Ave., Suite 250, Santa Rosa, CA 95401, Telephone Number: (707) 571-1510, By: Jon Reynolds, Authorized Agent, Date: 02/10/95 ASAP15-4595

Publication dates: Feb. 23, March 2, 9, 1995.

(PC220)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950317

The following persons are doing business as BIG SUR PROPERTIES, Box 244, Coastlands Rd., Big Sur, 93920.

Robert Cross, Box 244, Coastlands Rd., Big Sur, CA 93920.

Carolee Cross, Box 244, Coastlands Rd., Big Sur, CA 93920. This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 16, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/17/95.

(s) Robert Cross

Publication dates: March 2, 9, 16, 23, 1995.

(PC304)

## FICTIONAL BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT

File No. F950322

The following persons are doing business as JOE'S FISH MARKET, 200 Adams St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

Joe Pennisi, 321 Laine Stret, Monterey, Ca. 93940. Elaine Pennisi, 321 Laine Street, Monterey, Ca. 93940. This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 17, 1995.

Registrant commanded to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 17, 1995.

(s) Elizabeth Pennisi

Publication dates: Feb. 23, March 2, 9, 16, 1995.

(PC221)

## NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

Trustee Sale No. 94-151-R

Title Order No. 7076717

Reference No. 002537

APN No 008-601-003

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On 03/22/95 at 10:00 A.M. Marin Conveyancing Corporation as the duly appointed Trustee under and pursuant to the Deed of Trust, recorded on 10/06/93 as Document No. 68982 Book RL 3005 Page 446 of Official Records in the Office of the Recorder of Monterey County, California, executed by Jim W. Ross and Susan N. Ross, husband and wife, as Trustor Headlands Mortgage Company, a California Corporation, as Beneficiary.

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# CALENDAR

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## MUSIC

"Roots, Rock & Reggae" with Papa Stretch, Leisure Man, Mello Maxx and Peppa Robert — Monterey Brewing Co., 511 Tyler, Monterey, 8:30 p.m., \$3. Phone 375-3634.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Flower Arranging Demonstration** — Carmel Woman's Club, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, 2 p.m., \$3 guests. Phone 625-3037.

**Monterey Peninsula Poetry Circle** — Seaside City Hall, 440 Harcourt St., Seaside, 7 p.m. Phone 394-7951 or 899-6270.

**Watchstander Orientation Program** — Maritime Museum of Monterey, Stanton Center, 5 Custom House Plaza, Monterey, 7 p.m. Phone 375-2553.

**Weigh of Life Seminar** — Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, Conference Room, Hwy 68, Carmel, 6:30 p.m., free. Phone 625-4947.

Tuesday/7

## MUSIC

**Lori Hoffer, Dennis Murphy and Friends** — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 8:30/12:30 p.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

**Swing Night** — Doc Ricketts', 95 Prescott Ave., Cannery Row, Monterey, 8 p.m., \$3. Phone 649-4241.

## LECTURES

**Finance** — "Who Says Personal Finance Can't Be Fun?" by David Chilton, Hyatt Regency Hotel, Monterey, 6 p.m., reservations required, free. Phone 1-800-935-5795, Ext. 206.

**Moon Lore** — "Calling Down the Moon" by Rabbi Leah Novick, Thunderbird Bookstore, Whole Life Center, The Barnyard,

Carmel Rancho, 7 p.m., \$5. Phone 624-1803.

**Rainforest** — "Explore the Amazon Rainforest" by Paul Beaver, Ph.D., Maritime Museum of Monterey, Stanton Center, 5 Custom House Plaza, 7 a.m. Phone 375-2553.

**Wildlife Photography** — "Evolution as a World-Renowned Wildlife Photographer" by Frans Lanting, Santa Catalina School, Mark Thomas Drive, Monterey, 7:30 p.m., free. Phone 655-9300.

Wednesday/8

## MUSIC

**J.B. and The Nightshift** — Cibo, 301 Alvarado St., Monterey, 8:30/12:30 p.m., free. Phone 649-8151.

**Pianist Philip David Welsh** — Church of The Wayfarer, Lincoln and Sixth, Carmel, noon, free. Phone 626-6963.

**Swing Night** — Doc Ricketts', 95 Prescott Ave., Cannery Row, Monterey, 9 p.m., \$3. Phone 649-4241.

## MISCELLANEOUS

**Lester Rowntree Native Plant Garden Committee Meeting** — Sunset Center, Room 6, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, 10 a.m. Phone 625-5586.

Please make sure your calendar submissions reach *The Pine Cone* at noon at least one week in advance of the Thursday publication date in which you would like your submission to appear.

# Ongoing

**Preschool Storytimes** — Monterey Public Library, Community Room, 625 Pacific, Monterey, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 11 a.m. Phone 646-3934.

**Bereavement Recovery Group** — Hospice of the Central Coast, Monterey Peninsula Unitarian Church, 490 Aguajito Road, Monterey, Tuesday, 5:45-7 p.m., free. Phone 649-1772.

**Cancer-Wellness Support Group** — Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, Comprehensive Cancer Center, Hwy 68, Carmel, Monday, 4-6 p.m. Phone 625-4750.

**Cancer Education Support Group** — Family And Caregivers Meet, Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, Comprehensive Cancer Center, Hwy 68, Carmel, Tuesday, 3:30 p.m. Phone 625-4750.

**Cancer Support Group** — Monterey Peninsula Unitarian Church, 490 Aguajito Road, Monterey, Tuesday, 4 p.m. Phone 625-1013.

**Elderly Caregivers Support Group** — Classic Residence by Hyatt, 200 Glenwood Circle, Monterey, Thursday, 6:30-8:30 p.m. Phone 372-0802.

**Carmel Writers Workshop with Tad Wojnicki** — Carmel, Monday, 6-9 p.m., \$15. Phone 622-0445 or 757-1312.

**Center Stage for Entertainers** — Juice and Java, 599 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, Thursday, 7-10 a.m., \$1. Phone 373-8652.

**Circle Of Light Meeting** — The Barnyard, Community Room, Carmel Rancho, Friday, 7 p.m., \$6. Phone 647-9516.

**Creative Edge** — 8 Stratford Place, Monterey, CE Fellowship, Thursday, 9 a.m.-noon, donation; Arts Fellowship, 1st Saturday, 9 a.m.-noon, free. Phone 373-7809.

**Cypressaires Barbershop Harmony Chorus Meets** — Salvation Army Center, Contra Costa and Elm, Seaside, Tuesday, 7:15-10 p.m., free. Phone 373-1546.

**Duplicate Bridge** — All Saints' Episcopal Church, Dolores and Ninth, Carmel,

Wednesday, 1 p.m., \$4.25. Phone 625-4307.

**Carden Variety Toastmasters Club** — DPIC Building, 2959 Hwy 68, Monterey, Wednesday, noon. Phone 373-3337.

**Ladies Barbershop Harmony Chorus** — Church of the Wayfarer, Lincoln and Seventh, Carmel, Wednesday, 7 p.m. Phone 625-0351.

**Men's Support Group Healing from Childhood Sexual Abuse** — First Presbyterian Church, Monterey, Tuesday, 6-7:30 p.m. Phone 373-3955 or 633-2953.

**Prostate Cancer Self-Help Group** — American Cancer Society, 2600 Garden Road, 207 West Building, Monterey, Wednesday, 5-7 p.m. Phone 372-4521.

**Rape and Childhood Sexual Abuse Survivors Meet** — Monterey Rape Crisis Center, Monterey, Thursday, 5:30-7 p.m. Phone 373-3955 or 633-2953.

**Teen Group for Survivors of Rape and Child Abuse** — Monterey Rape Crisis Center, Monterey, Wednesday, 3:30-5:30 p.m. Phone 373-3955 or 633-2953.

**Toddler Storytimes** — Monterey Public Library, Community Room, 625 Pacific, Monterey, Tuesdays and Fridays, 10 a.m. Phone 646-3934.

**The Magic Club** — Monterey, fourth Monday, 6:30-11 p.m., free. Phone 648-4698.

**Transcendental Meditation Lecture** — Carmel, Tuesday, 6 p.m. Phone 624-7321.

**Trivia Game Socials** — Brasilia, 650 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove, first and third Friday, 8-9 p.m., free. Phone 372-4167.

**Wellness and Self-Healing Group** — JoAnn Ehley Nashban, 26415 Carmel Rancho Blvd, Carmel, weekly two-hour sessions, \$15. Phone 626-3866.

**Wine Tasting Series** — California Market, Highlands Inn, Hwy 1, Carmel, Friday, 4-6 p.m., \$10. Phone 624-3801.

**Women's Support Group** — Family Service Agency, 544 Pearl St., Monterey, Tuesday, 7-8:30 p.m., \$10. Phone 373-4421.

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